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## DRUNKENNESS

### Report of State Commission of Which Mayor Childs Was a Member

One of the most important commissions which has reported to the Massachusetts Legislature in recent years is the result of its findings and its recommendations last Wednesday afternoon. We refer to the Commission which was authorized by the 1913 Legislature to investigate drunkenness and the best means of correcting or controlling that evil in this Commonwealth. Although having practically at four months in which to study conditions the members thereof have done their duty and have submitted a report which while not claiming to be the "last word" on this important subject, nevertheless suggests some practical ways in which conditions which exist today may be improved.

The report may not satisfy extremists on either side, and yet we are of the opinion that if the recommendations of this Commission are adopted a big step forward will have been taken.

All students of the subject of drunkenness will doubtless agree with the Commission in the statement that imprisonment generally is an inappropriate way of dealing with the intemperate man and that it should be abandoned except in cases which do not respond to release, probation, fine and suspended sentence.

The suggestions, too, that License Boards make more liberal use of their powers in cities and towns which vote "yes," that the public be supplied with expert testimony concerning the alcohol problem and that substitutes for the saloon be developed forthwith will meet with the approval of every clear-headed man and woman. We trust that our local representatives will read carefully the report of this Commission and support any bill which may be drafted to the end that the recommendations thereof may be given a fair trial.

For the benefit of those who may not see the report we give the recommendations as submitted.

(1) That a Metropolitan Branch of the Norfolk State Hospital be established within the Metropolitan District.

(a) For the treatment of delirium tremens.

(b) To serve as observation and receiving ward for the Norfolk State Hospital.

(c) To provide a clinic for incipient cases of inebriety.

(d) To serve as headquarters of the out-patient department of the Norfolk State Hospital.

(e) To provide medical officers to visit prisons in the evening and early morning, to examine cases arrested for drunkenness three times within twelve months, and others at the discretion of the probation officer, to ascertain if these persons are in need of hospital treatment.

(2) That a hospital for women inebriates be established in connection with the Norfolk State Hospital.

(3) That the number of cottages in the hospital and detention departments of the Norfolk State Hospital be increased.

(4) That judges of the Boston Municipal Court be given power to commit to the Norfolk State Hospital under the Acts of 1909, chapter 504, section 29.

(5) That section 50 of the Acts of 1909, chapter 504, be amended so that an inebriate willing to submit to commitment (as distinguished from "voluntary admission" under section 54) to the Norfolk State Hospital may be committed by any of the judges mentioned in section 29 of the Acts of 1909, chapter 504, upon the filing of a certificate of the inebriety of the alleged inebriate, by any town or city physician, by any physician designated by the selectmen or mayor of the town or city in which the inebriate has settled, or by any one physician privately employed.

(6) That the office of probation officer shall not be held by any deputy sheriff or clerk of court.

(7) That the sale by druggists (holders of licenses of sixth class) of intoxicating liquors, Jamaica ginger, ethyl alcohol be prohibited, except upon the prescription of a duly registered physician practising within the Commonwealth. Such prescription should be filled only once, and should not be refilled. Sale of intoxicating liquors or ethyl alcohol by druggists for mechanical and chemical purposes should be expressly prohibited.

(8) That provision be made for examination by the State Board of Health of all intoxicating liquors suspected of adulteration, submitted by the licensing authorities, Board of Health or police department of any city or town; such analysis to be made to ascertain the presence of any poisons, drugs or other substances dangerous to the health of the user. The annual appropriation to the State Board of Health should be made sufficient to cover all increase in expenditures which may be involved in this service.

(9) That the Board of Education be empowered to co-operate with the State Board of Health, Charity and Insanity, Prison Commissioners or any public employees or private citizens of the State professionally dealing with the treatment of inebriates or in scientific research on any phase of the alcohol problem which they may deem important; to arrange for lectures to be delivered annually at all Normal schools of the State, and at any teachers' meeting, and to prepare a special manual for teachers indicating the best ways in which to give instructions in all phases of the alcohol problem and in self-control.

(10) That the State Board of Health be empowered and directed with such aid as it may require from the Board of Education, the State Boards of Charity and Insanity, the Prison Commissioners and other public employees or private citizens, to prepare and to issue from time to time posters, showing by charts or otherwise, the results of scientific experiments on the effects of the use of alcohol upon the structure and functions of the human body, and the injurious effects upon the health, industries or general welfare of the people, which may be caused by the use of alcohol; such posters to be furnished without cost to the mayors of all cities and the selectmen of all towns of the Commonwealth, to superintendents of schools and to other persons upon request.

## C. E. MEETING

### Newton Societies Attend Union Service At Waltham

More than 300 members of the Newton Christian Endeavor Union, which includes the societies of Newton, Waltham, Belmont and Weston, held a rally at the Waltham Congregational Church last Tuesday evening.

The song service was led by Kimball Johnson, former President of the Newton Union and a member of the Congregational Church, where the rally was held.

Devotional exercises were led by the Rev. Dr. W. C. Gordon of Auburn, the Counsellor of the Union. The address of welcome was given by Rev. C. W. Huntington, Pastor of the Congregational Church. The meeting was in charge of Mr. Theodore H. Morton of Newton, President of the Union.

One of the unusual features of the rally was that all but two of the Pastors of the churches whose Societies were represented were present and one of those two pastors sent a written message to us. Each of the pastors gave a two-minute talk.

Newton churches were represented by the following number of persons, Immanuel 14, Lincoln Park 11, Upper Falls Methodist 20, Upper Falls Baptist 11, Auburndale Congregational 12, Highlands Congregational 4, Newton Centre Baptist 10, First Church, Newton Centre 3.

Dr. Gordon said that loyalty, which is the principle of the organization, implies unity in the work for Christ, and there is a demand for men who will give their personal service for the church. The rally is a call for us to go forth and do something and we should thereby make this meeting one of great profit. Rev. A. A. Hobson responded briefly.

Rev. J. M. Kierstead of Newton Upper Falls said that he felt it a privilege to engage in Christian Endeavor work, and it was also a matter of great responsibility that has been well met by the young people. May we train ourselves in this organization for Christian character and the grace of God.

Rev. Robert W. Van Kirk of the Lincoln Park Baptist Church said in part, "We are living in a great age, and one of Christian Endeavor. The early days of Christianity were an age of suffering, but these have passed into days of endeavor. We are in this organization to receive training for the Christian church, and it is an institution with the same relation to the church as the preparatory school is to the college. The present age is one of co-operation and the spirit, promoted by the Christian Endeavor Society is destined to tear down the walls which have kept the Christian churches apart. The next generation will see the passing of denominations and these will be replaced by one great Christian church."

Mayor Edwin O. Childs of Newton received hearty greetings and he responded in part as follows, "We stand primarily for Christ and also for the church. In each church there is a pastor, and our duty is to give him our best support."

"In order to succeed in any branch we must have the help of others and our pastors need help in their work

## BASE BALL LEAGUE

### Plans Being Made For An All Newton League This Summer

A meeting was held Tuesday night at the Newton Y. M. C. A. with representatives present from various parts of the city, to consider the advisability of forming a league in Newton to play baseball the coming summer. The Newton Y. M. C. A., the Lower Falls A. A., the Upper Falls A. A., the Newton Catholic Club, and the Needham Y. M. C. A. will undoubtedly be represented in the new league and the Nonantum A. A. and the Newton Catholic Union are possibilities.

The meeting was called by William Macpherson, physical director of the Y. M. C. A., and he entertained the managers and those interested in the formation to the number of 30 at a banquet. The toastmaster was P. D. Fuller, chairman of the physical committee of the association, who was very enthusiastic at the present prospects of the league.

Following the meeting Mr. Macpherson presented a silver loving cup to Lewis Bills, the star pitcher on the Y. M. C. A. team last season, a gift from the members of the club. Before the presentation Mr. Macpherson spoke on the fine record made by the pitcher last year. In 26 games played by the association he pitched 23. Of this number he won 17, and held an average of five hits and seven strikeouts to a game.

The presentation came as a complete surprise to Mr. Bills. The cup was inscribed, "To Lewis Bills from the baseball team of the Newton Y. M. C. A., Feb. 3, 1914. In grateful appreciation of the splendid service and loyal support given during the 1913 season."

## THE CHRISTIAN FORUM

The next meeting of the Christian Forum of Newton will be held at Eliot Church on Sunday evening, Feb. 15. Prof. Edward Steiner of Grennell, Ia., one of the best authorities in the country on the subject will speak on "Immigration."

## N. H. S.

At the Greater Boston interscholastic track and field championships held at the Boston Y. M. C. A. last Saturday, Brookline High defeated Newton High in the relay races.

The pastor may make sacrifices, but if he has not the loyal support of his flock, these sacrifices and his efforts are in vain. The co-operation of the young people of the church is necessary and it is for the Christian Endeavor Society to see that loyal support is given to the pastor.

"We must tell the pastor of his good work, for that will be an encouragement to him. Let us stand together to improve our society and render better service in the interests of our churches."

## SILVER WEDDING

### Mr. and Mrs. William J. Cozens Celebrate 25th Anniversary

Mr. and Mrs. William J. Cozens celebrated their silver wedding last evening with a largely attended reception at their home on Chester street, Newton Highlands. The house was attractively decorated with green and white, hyacinths, calla lilies and carnations being used in a most effective manner. An orchestra furnished music and the reception, while informal, was most enjoyable.

Among the out of town guests were Rev. and Mrs. Wm. T. Deale of Dedham, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Fielding and Ruth and Lester Fielding of Cambridge, Rev. Salem D. Towne of Boston, Mrs. B. G. Milliken of Boston, Mrs. Emory Harper of Attleboro, Mrs. Sarah Kenniston of Cambridge, Mr. and Mrs. S. A. Linnekin of Wellesley Hills, Mrs. Anna A. Cline, mother of Mrs. Cozens, and Mrs. William James of Norfolk, Virginia.

Mr. and Mrs. Cozens were married on Feb. 5, 1889, at Frederick, Maryland, more widely known as the home of Barbara Fritchie, Mrs. Cozens, whose maiden name was Miss Margaret C. Cline, being the daughter of a prominent family of that place. The ceremony was performed by General Ballington Booth, who was at that time the head of the Salvation Army in this country.

Mr. Cozens, who is a descendant of the French Huguenots, was born in Canterbury, England, where his father was, for a half century, a prominent builder. Mr. Cozens has had a most interesting career. While a young man in London, he became interested in religion and for a time was a local Methodist preacher. The work of the Salvation Army attracted him and he was sent as one of its pioneers to California, and later opened up the work in Salt Lake City, Utah, Idaho, North Carolina and Michigan. For four years, Col. Cozens was head of the Salvation Army in New England. He retired from the Army after 17 years of service, and after spending two years in Europe, came to Newton Highlands, ten years ago and has been engaged in an extensive real estate business since that time. During his Salvation Army work, Mr. Cozens has travelled extensively in this country, and has crossed the Atlantic 15 times.

Mr. Cozens has been connected with the Mass. Real Estate Exchange for some years, is a vice-president of the recently organized Newton Board of Trade, and a director in the Newton South Co-operative Bank.

Mr. and Mrs. Cozens have taken an active part in the life of Newton Highlands, both being members of the Cline Memorial Methodist Church, and Mr. Cozens being superintendent of the Sunday School.

They have four surviving children, William J. Cozens, Jr., Bessie B. Cozens, Winifred Cozens and Albert Cozens who reside with their parents on Chester street.

## NATIONAL PROHIBITION

### Remarks Made At Recent Meeting At the Newton Y. M. C. A.

At the meeting held last week at the Newton Y. M. C. A. in the interests of national prohibition, remarks were made by Mrs. Ella A. Gleason, vice president of the Mass. W. C. T. U., Rev. H. Grant Person, pastor of Eliot Church, Mr. Allan C. Emery, president of the Y. M. C. A., and Rev. John F. Brant of Newtonville.

Mrs. Gleason said in part:—"I tell you that if this meeting was anything other than a temperance meeting, this hall would be packed to the doors. Perhaps you do not know why the liquor traffic has made such appalling progress, and why it is so hard for the temperance unions to fight it. It is because it is a Union. Every saloon keeper knows it, and he knows that he has the State Legislature to back him up."

"I ask for co-operation because that is the only way in which we can win the victory. This organized liquor union has \$6,000,000 in its treasury. This is sufficient to make some people discouraged, but they do not realize that the power of God is above all that money. But when we realize that this liquor traffic has for its part, in the destruction of men and women the government of the United States, we have some reason to be discouraged. It has been said that a nation should be judged, not by its wealth, but by the opportunities which it gives its people. Our government gives the saloon keeper a license to sell liquor, and it must necessarily follow that a supply will create a demand."

"I heard a man say the other day that he was strongly opposed to the liquor traffic, but he voted for license because that was the only way to regulate it! And yet he is a Christian man, and he knows the number of men that go down every year to drunkard's graves."

"A new arrangement is soon to be tried. The drunkards are to be divided into classes. One class is to be composed of men who can, by right living, be helped. The other class is to be composed of those who cannot be helped. They have become so low, so degraded that they can never be set at liberty, but must be kept in close confinement for the rest of their natural—or unnatural—lives. Oh, my friends, what are we waiting for?"

"I have heard it said that, in order to succeed, a person should be acquainted with some one of high position in politics. My friends, you and I are acquainted with One who is highest in authority. Be strong, and of good courage. The time is not far hence when our prayers shall be answered, and we shall see the reward of our labor."

Rev. Mr. Person said in part:—"While I heartily agree with Mr. Levy, yet I would make an amendment to that last suggestion. He said, 'Let us first clean up our own city, and then go for national prohibition.'"

"I say, 'Let us do the whole thing at once. I believe that the time has come when the only way that this thing that we work for and pray for can be done is by simply driving the whole thing out of the land. They say that it will be sold if it is made it will be drunk if it is sold, then let us make it illegal to manufacture it, not in one state but in all the states. I said the other day, you have heard the remark that the popular sentiment is not worked up to that point yet, and we cannot do anything until the popular sentiment has reached that point. If we can get the national prohibition through our legislature, then the sentiment has worked up to that point. You cannot get it unless the sentiment has got far enough up, and if it has got to the point where we can get it through the legislature, it is time we had it, and if that time is not now, it is very soon. Now things are moving very rapidly these days, and the whole sentiment for efficiency in our industrial system for better citizenship is working that way."

Mr. Allan C. Emery said:—"I am heartily interested in this movement. I tell my business friends that we will all see the day when liquor will be barred out of this country, if we look upon it as we look upon opium; and I see why there should be no difference. I say that one of the hopeful signs of the day is that such an increasing number of men are abstaining from liquor during business hours. That means that later they will be abstaining altogether."

"I remember that only five years ago a great many men I came in contact with drank heavily during the

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—Mr. C. E. Cline, who has been visiting here has returned to Frederick, Md.

—The Monday Club met this week with Mrs. E. L. Drowne on Lakewood road.

—Mr. W. V. Hurd of Brockton has been visiting relatives on Floral street this week.

—The monthly social of the Congregational Church was held on Wednesday evening.

—Mr. F. A. Burdick of Lake avenue returned Saturday from a business trip to Europe.

—Crystal Lake Council, R. A., held a smoke talk at their meeting hall Monday evening.

—Mr. Robt. Bonner of Glenmore terrace has returned from a business trip through Canada.

—Mr. John S. Patton, Jr., of Walnut street has been recently admitted to the Massachusetts bar.

—Mr. G. H. Noyes of Rockledge road has returned from a business trip of several weeks in Europe.

—The gospel team of Boston University will conduct special services at the M. E. Church on this Friday evening, Saturday evening, and Sunday.

—Prof. Wm. T. Cole of Wheaton College speaks on February 8th at the Congregational Church on "The Church, Its Mission and Its Temptations."

—The monthly social of the Congregational Church was held last evening, in charge of Mrs. W. C. B. Robbins. The Euterpean Trio rendered instrumental selections, assisted by Mrs. James Reginald Dudley, soprano.

—Crystal Lake Council, No. 1922, Royal Arcanum, held an open meeting and smoke talk on Monday evening in Odd Fellows Hall. There was a large gathering of members and friends.

The orator, Hugh R. Newcomb, introduced Mr. Stanley Nichols & Co., of Somerville who rendered several musical and comedy acts, which were well received. Among the speakers of the evening were Edward J. Byron, G. R., and George H. Wiley, P. G. R., Henry W. Crowell, S. P. R., of the council also delivered an interesting address. Six applications for membership were received. There is to be a union meeting of the councils of Greater Boston in Ford Hall, Boston on the evening of March 16, at which time the council expects to present a woody number of candidates. During the evening a collation was much enjoyed. It was also announced that the council will hold a dancing party on the evening of Washington's Birthday, Feb. 23, in Lincoln Hall.

### BODY FOUND

The body of Mrs. Anne E. Colby, who ran away from Dr. Eaton's sanitarium early in December, and disappeared, was found floating in Crystal Lake yesterday afternoon, by John W. Belger of Newton Upper Falls who was walking on the railroad tracks near the lake. He notified the police and the body was drawn ashore and taken to the rooms of a local undertaker. It was later identified by Dr. Eaton as the body of Mrs. Colby.

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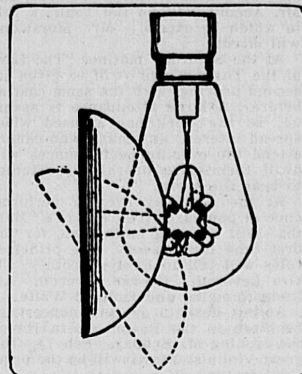
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## The ELECTRICAL WORLD

### SHADE FOR ELECTRIC LAMPS

Clamps on Globe of Incandescent Light at Any Angle Desired—Convenient in Sickroom.

An objection that has hitherto been raised to incandescent electric lamps is that there has been no satisfactory way to shade them. A Kentucky man has overcome this difficulty by the invention of a most ingenious shade that can be clamped on the lamp in a twinkling and in any position desired. The shade consists of a metal disk bent into semicircular form and provided at its center with spring claws adapted to press against the globe and hold the device in position. As will readily be understood, this shade can be fastened in any position.



Electric Lamp Shade.

even on the bottom of the lamp, though the shadow is cast in only one direction. Such a device, however, has many uses and is particularly convenient in sickrooms that are lighted by incandescent lamps, as it enables the nurse to protect the patients face from the direct rays of the light, yet have other parts of the chamber well illuminated. The shade is so small and compact that traveling men who have felt the need of such an article in hotels where they have stopped can carry it without trouble.

### ELECTRICAL SHIP DOES WELL

Tynemount Built to Demonstrate Advantages of Electric Transmission for Large Vessels.

Perhaps one of the most interesting ships of the year is the Tynemount, a vessel built to demonstrate the advantages of electric transmission to connection with the Diesel engine for the propulsion of large ships, writes J. R. Wilson in Power. Built for the Montreal Transportation company, this vessel, which is of 2,400 tons displacement, is equipped with two four stroke cycle, six cylinder, 300 horsepower Diesel engines driving three phase alternators at 400 revolutions per minute; the latter in turn supply a 500 horsepower electric motor which drives a single propeller.

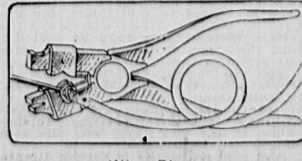
The engines are both divided into groups of three cylinders and the camshaft of each is driven by a vertical shaft arranged between the two groups. The bedplate is cast in two pieces and bolted together, and joined with the alternator bedplate at the fly-wheel end of each engine.

Starting is effected by means of compressed air, three cylinders only being fitted with starting valves. A device for stopping the engine and means of controlling the amount of air delivered by the air compressor are also provided on the control pillar. Near at hand are the electric controller of the transmission system, the whole providing for the operation of the propelling machinery; controls are also carried to the bridge. At the after end of each engine a three stage air compressor is fitted, driven direct from an extension of the engine crankshaft. This extension also provides means for driving the lubricating and circulating water pumps. The fuel pumps are driven by eccentrics from the camshaft.

### NEW WIRE-SKINNING PLIERS

Knives on Both Sides of Tongues for Cutting and Splitting Covering—Jaws Are Crosshatched.

These wire-skinning pliers have knives on both sides of the tongues for cutting the insulation, a knife for splitting the insulation lengthwise of the wire, still another knife for scraping the wire.



Wire Pliers.

ing the wire, and a slot for bending loops in the ends of the wire, says the Popular Mechanics. The jaws are crosshatched to give a good grip in pulling off the insulation.

Wireless telephony has been installed in an English coal mine and is giving satisfactory results.

### TELLS CAPACITY OF LUNGS

Apparatus Designed by California Man Indicates Expansion of Chest as the Wearer Breathes.

An apparatus for determining a person's lung capacity has been designed by a man in California—a state where lung conditions are an important topic. An elastic band that fits around the chest and passes under the armpits is strapped on the person to be tested. In the center of this band is a drum with figures on its face and a spring dial finger that is operated by



Lung Tester.

the stretching of the elastic and that points to the various figures. One set of numbers denotes lung capacity. As the wearer of the apparatus inhales, his or her chest expands, stretches the elastic and moves the needle. As the person exhales, the elastic contracts and the needle automatically returns to zero. As the physical expansion of the chest is a good indication of the capacity of the lungs, this device is a great help to physicians.

### DEVICE TO ASSIST AERONAUT

Inclinometer Intended to Indicate at Glance How Much Plane is Tilted, Elevated or Deflected.

Already a number of aeroplane fittings in kind such as haunt the automobile enthusiast have been invented and are offered for sale upon the field. Chief among these is the inclinometer invented by a Curtiss in no way connected with the aeronaut of that name. This inclinometer caused some excitement among the fliers around New York city recently. There arose a difference of opinion among them as to whether the instrument was too sensitive or not sensitive enough. It is a device for telling at a glance three things that a flier needs to know—that is, the direction and inclination forward and back and the inclination sideways.

It consists of a spherical glass case in the center of which is mounted a compass. A weight is pivoted in two planes and the instrument is graduated so that the aviator can read directly in degrees how much his plane is tilted out of the horizontal or how much the nose is elevated or deflected. It is said to be difficult now to determine the position of a machine in thick weather when lost in clouds with the earth hidden.

## NOTES OF SCIENCE AND INVENTION

Cameleers are the only quadrupeds that cannot swim.

The United States has become the heaviest buyer of South African diamonds.

For stripping peanuts from vines a simple machine has been invented by a Georgian man.

Tumblers made of ice, with paper holders, for use with cold drinks, are a German novelty.

A novel lamp shade is mounted on a frame like an umbrella, so it can be closed to save room.

A magazine to carry an extra load of tobacco is attached to the stem of a recently patented pipe.

Hairpins, the points of which lock so they will not slip out, have been patented in Great Britain.

Venice is equipping its fire department with steam engines carried on petroleum-propelled motor boats.

Aluminum ware can be polished with a mixture of borax, ammonia and water, applied with a soft cloth.

Simple apparatus for disinfecting by steam that a Frenchman has invented boils the water with an alcohol lamp.

An acetylene flashlight has been invented for railroad crossing gates which is ignited by a pilot light as a gate is lowered.

A harness has been patented by a Missouri woman for chickens to hold their wings down and prevent them from flying away.

An astronomical clock in Germany is so perfectly constructed that its errors amount to only one second in more than eighteen years.

## INDUSTRY MECHANICS

### MACHINE FOR MIXING PAINT

Excellent Device Constructed of Medium Sized Oil Barrel and Rear Wheel of Brake Bicycle.

As a considerable amount of painting had to be done on our farm, I devised the following paint mixing machine, which greatly reduced the work of mixing and also mixed the paint far better than it would have been possible to do by hand, writes Wilson S. Sutfin in the Popular Electricist.

A medium sized oil barrel was procured and also the rear wheel of an old coaster brake bicycle. The head of the barrel should be removed and the entire coaster brake taken off the bicycle wheel. A board about six inches wide and long enough to project over the end of the barrel so as to hold a small motor, was then obtained. In the center of this board a hole was bored large enough for the



Paint Mixer.

shaft, upon which the paddles are located, to revolve freely. This bearing must be kept oiled. The shaft was then fastened on the hub of the bicycle wheel.

Any small motor of one-fifth horsepower or over will furnish sufficient power. In our case we used the washing machine motor. The pulley, if possible, should be removed and reversed on the shaft. The small projecting end must then be tightly wound with adhesive tape. If the pulley has no projecting end, the pulley itself may be wound with tape. The rest of the drawing is self-explanatory.

When the lead and oil are first placed in the barrel, they must be stirred for about ten minutes. Then the stirring outfit can be lowered into the barrel, the rim of the wheel resting on the pulley of the motor.

### DUSTING BY COMPRESSED AIR

Problem of Removing Fine Rock Dust From Workmen's Clothing Solved by New York Employes.

Compressed air has superseded steam as the motive power for driving rock drills on many of the large excavating jobs in New York city. The men who direct the operations of the air drills and the men who work in the trenches have discovered a new use for the compressed air after the day's work is done.

The powerful drills pulverize a large amount of rock and the dust is wafted all over the vicinity in which the drilling is being done. The men's clothes become covered with a layer of the pulverized rock, which is extremely difficult to remove by ordinary methods.

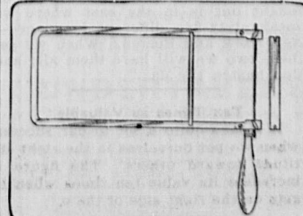
The problem of removing this fine rock dust perplexed the men until one of them found the solution by removing the end of the hose which carries the compressed air to a drill and directing the powerful air current on his dust-covered clothes. With a hiss sound the air rushed out and swept away the rock dust instantly. In five minutes the man had cleaned his clothes to perfection.

Now all the men working on jobs where compressed air is used are using the up to date method of cleaning their apparel.

### SAWING COPPER AND BRASS

Saw Frame Is Made More Rigid So as to Keep Blade From Breaking—Tension Can Be Varied.

Desiring to do some sawing on copper and brass with a hand scroll saw, I stiffened the frame in the manner shown so that it would keep the saws from breaking. A notch was cut in each end of a strip of wood, just long enough to fit tightly in the saw frame.



Using Hand Scroll Saw.

writes L. L. Jewell in the Popular Mechanics. The tension of the saw blade can be varied by changing the location of the notch of wood.

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### Newton Centre

—GO TO CHURCH NEXT SUNDAY!

—Mrs. Howard Ireland spent the week end at Middleboro, Mass.

—Miss Bassett from the "Cape" is visiting Mrs. Hopkins of Beacon street.

—Mrs. Ella F. Fox of Taunton is visiting her daughter on Walnut street this week.

—Mr. James Calnan of Pleasant street is ill at the Newton Hospital with appendicitis.

—At the evening service Sunday at the First Baptist Church, the soloist will be Mrs. Ezra L. Bushnell.

—Miss Hazel Sands, who has been ill at the hospital with appendicitis, has again returned to her home.

—The ladies of the Woman's Club gave an entertainment for the children at Bray Hall yesterday afternoon.

—Mrs. H. W. Streat who has been the guest of Mrs. Leslie has again returned to her home in Philadelphia.

—Mr. and Mrs. Homer K. Ely of Moreland avenue are receiving congratulations on the recent birth of a son.

—On Wednesday afternoon there was a Foreign Missionary meeting at the First Church, conducted by Mrs. E. M. Noyes.

—The pastor of the Methodist Church will give a series of Friday evening lectures this month on "The Canon of the Scriptures."

—Mr. Herbert H. Kellaway was a speaker before the Boston Society of Landscape Architects at their dinner at the Harvard Club this week.

—The Furber Missionary meeting of the First Church met with Mrs. Greely, 63 Kenwood avenue, last Thursday afternoon at 3 o'clock.

—The engagement is announced of Mr. Lawrence, Jencks Harding of Hammond street, Chestnut Hill, and Miss Gladys Laurie Cable of New York City.

—Mrs. Charles Copeland of 53 Gray Cliff road gave a party Wednesday evening, to the ladies of the Monday and Wednesday Club and their husbands.

—Mrs. Rose Pastor Stokes will speak at the next meeting of the Christian Forum at the Unitarian Church on the evening of February 22, at 7:30 o'clock.

—Mr. James A. Lowell of Chestnut Hill, chairman of the state board of Labor and Industries, will be a speaker at the annual meeting next Tuesday of the Consumers' League of Massachusetts.

—Last Monday evening the monthly organ recital was given in the First Baptist Church by John Hermann Loud. The recital was well attended as usual. Mr. Loud was assisted by Miss Calistine Comelison, contralto.

—The marriage of Miss Alice Ireland and Mr. Harold H. Foster was celebrated at the home of the bride, on Irving street last evening. Mr. and Mrs. Foster will make their home in Pittsburgh, Pa., where Mr. Foster has a position in a manual training school.

—A real old-fashioned spelling match will be the feature of the February Social, to be held in the Chapel of the First Baptist Church, Wednesday evening, Feb. 18. The experts—and others—are already in training for the event, and a memorable occasion is assured.

—Last Monday evening the members of the Carpenters' Local Union gave a white party which was well attended. The first prize for a dish, which was a silver mesh bag, was won by Mrs. Howard Ernst, and the gentlemen's prize, a cigar holder, was won by Mr. Dan McDonald.

—At Bray hall on Wednesday evening, February 11, the annual pop concert and dance of the Newton Centre Improvement Association will be held. Many new features will be introduced, and there will be some special dancing features by and under the direction of Miss Lillian F. Harrington. The Ninth Regiment orchestra of 15 pieces will furnish the music.

—Last Wednesday evening the Sunday School Workers of this place held a largely attended meeting in the First Baptist Church. The address of the evening was given by Miss Martha K. Lawson of New York, talking as her subject, "The Sunday School Problem from a Teacher's Standpoint." After the lecture Miss Stone rendered several vocal selections.

—Rev. M. A. Levy will preach two Go-to-Church-Sunday sermons at the First Baptist Church, next Sunday. The morning theme will be "The Church our Creditor," and at the evening service he will speak on "Why Fifty Women do not Go to Church." The evening service, beginning at 7:30 (organ selections at 7:15), will include a stirring song service of Gospel Hymns. All will be welcomed at these observances of Go-to-Church-Sunday, and every Sunday.

—Last Tuesday evening at the Methodist Church a delightful entertainment entitled "Ye Olden Tyme," was given by the ladies of the church. The following was the program: A duet, "O, Wert Thou in the Cauld Blast," by Miss Bessie Talbot Salmón, and Miss Talbot; a solo, "Drink to me only with Thine Eyes," by Miss Talbot; songs, "Long, long ago," "There is a lady sweet and kind," "The Lass with the Delicate Air," by Miss Salmón, a paper, "Diary of an English Officer," by Margaret Crandall; Miller's songs, by Miss Salmón, "Believe me if all those Endearments and Love Go Hang"; Mrs. Miller Young Charming; "The Plague of Jove and Love Go Hang"; Mrs. Miller gave another reading "The Quaker," and Mr. Roger Colby Ellis rendered a couple of selections, "Love is a Sickness," and "When Dull Care" is Miller's "Fare thee well, dearie," "The Minuet," and the entertainment closed with a duet by Miss Salmón and Miss Talbot, entitled "I Know a Tank." About \$40 was realized from the recital.

### Newtonville

—Miss Pauline Gaudet of Winthrop has been visiting friends in town.

—Mr. David Hamblen, Jr., of Brooks avenue has been admitted to the Massachusetts bar.

—Miss Isabel S. Blake of Walnut street is spending a month with relatives in Brookline.

—The choir of Central Church will give a program from Sullivan's "Prodigal Son" at the vespers service next Sunday at 4:30 P. M.

—The Young Woman's Club of St. John's Church will give a dancing party next week on Friday evening, at the Northgate Club, West Newton.

—The next meeting



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—GO TO CHURCH NEXT SUNDAY

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## Newtonville

—GO TO CHURCH NEXT SUNDAY!  
—Mr. Patrick Collins is seriously ill at his home on Newtonville avenue.  
—Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Evans of Harrington street have removed to Jersey City, N. J.

—Rev. C. H. Patton, D. D. of Newton, will occupy the pulpit Sunday at Central Church.

—Mr. and Mrs. L. H. Freeze of Central avenue have taken a house on Madison avenue.

—Rev. John F. Brant will conduct the meeting this evening at the Methodist Church.

—Miss Helen M. Fales of Brooks avenue spent the week end with relatives in Fitchburg.

—Mrs. James H. Hickey of New York, is the guest of Mrs. George W. Morse of Court street.

—Miss Evelyn M. Fernald of Brooks avenue has returned from a week end visit with relatives in Grotton.

—Miss Josephine McGrane of Brooks avenue was a guest over the week end at the Epworth League.

—Mr. and Mrs. Thomas F. Eddy of Foxboro have moved into the lower apartment at 29 Harrington street.

—Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Sebring of Plainfield, N. J., have moved into the lower apartment at 223 Cabot street.

—A special musical program under the direction of Miss Gladys Hadley was given at the Epworth League meeting Sunday evening at the Methodist Church, which included vocal solos by Mr. Peters.

—Rev. Eugene A. Bartlett, formerly of Newtonville, who has been for the past 8 years associated with one of the Universalist Churches in Chicago, has accepted a call to the largest Universalist Church in Brooklyn, N. Y.

—Mr. Calvert Crary of Foster street and Rev. James Watson Campbell are enjoying a delightful trip to New York, Washington, Elizabeth City, and other southern points of interest. They will return the latter part of the week.

—Quite a commotion was caused Friday noon in the rear of Central Block, when a horse attached to the parcel-post delivery wagon became frightened and ran away. The upper part of the wagon was quite badly damaged.

—Mr. Charles S. Thomas of West Newton, will address the meeting this evening at Central Church. There will be a discussion of the particular needs of the Sunday School and a special invitation is extended to parents and members, to be present.

—An escaped deer racing up the railroad track caused no little excitement in the Square Tuesday morning, especially when it had a narrow escape from being struck by an express train. From whence it came, and whether it has gone still remains a mystery.

—Miss Emily Proctor of Trowbridge avenue is being extensively entertained at Baltimore, Md., where she is visiting Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Proctor. On Saturday evening Miss Proctor was the guest of honor at a dinner given at the Baltimore Country Club by Mr. and Mrs. William L. Marbury.

—The second of the series of Travel Talks given by Mrs. James Richard Carter in the New Church Parlors, Highland avenue, will be given Tuesday evening, February 10th at 8 o'clock. The subject will be "From Buenos Aires to the Falls of Iguazu." Given for the benefit of the Woman's League.

—The Every Saturday Club meets this week at the residence of Mrs. Charles W. Davidson, Prescott street. The study will be modern dramatists; W. B. Yeats, Lady Gregory, and John Millington Synge. The committee will be under the chairmanship of Mrs. Willey and will include Professor Boyd, Mr. and Mrs. Willey, Mr. Retan, will lead the discussion and will be assisted by Miss Nelson.

—At the last meeting of Caerlyle Castle, K. O. K. A. of Central Church, the following officers were elected: Guy Wyatt, Joseph Byers, Arthur Pierce, Richard Hayward, Bartlett Boyden, Charles Bunting, and Herbert Hovenden. The comedy to be presented by Caerlyle Castle of Central Church will be given February 20 instead of the 13th as previously announced. This change was made on account of the triangular track meet at the High School.

## "The Second Coming of Christ"

The Rev. George S. Wheeler of Providence, R. I. will deliver a lecture on the above-named subject on Sunday evening, Feb. 8, at the Church of the New Jerusalem, Highland avenue, Newtonville, beginning at 7:30 o'clock.

The public is most cordially invited. All seats free and no collection.

### SPECIAL MUSIC

This will be the closing lecture in the course which has attracted attention in the past six weeks.

## ALDERMEN MEET

### Mayor Childs Makes Changes In Assistant Assessors

The first regular meeting of the new board of aldermen was held Monday evening at City Hall with Aldermen Bemis and Early absent, and Alderman Cox about the building, altho he did not occupy his seat. Vice President Blanchard made his debut as the presiding officer and proved that he was well acquainted with the use of the gavel. President Blakemore occupied a seat on the floor during the entire session.

A large number of routine hearings were held without any one appearing. Including petitions of the Edison Co. for underground conduits on Washington street, Auburn street, Lincoln park, Shaw st., Putnam st., Lowell ave., and Bigelow road, for pole locations with the Telephone Co. on City press and Ward sts., on petitions to keep gasoline from Clemence Hasenfus, Dedham st., Arthur W. Blakemore, Park st., Keating & Decker, Charlesbank road, and from C. A. Ferson to keep 15,000 gallons of kerosene, etc., off Mechanic st.

Mr. W. D. Foster spoke in favor of granting Edison Co. poles on Highland street and there was no opposition.

Mayor Childs sent in a large number of communications including recommendations to relieve the City collector from collecting certain sewer assessments and sewer charges and betterment assessments and for the settlement of taxes against land purchased by city adjoining the Hyde school house, favoring authority to purchase water supplies to \$7400, recommending \$300 for plans for proposed tuberculosis hospital, relative to reconstruction of Boylston street bridge, relative to sewer at Thompsonville, recommending transfer of care of City hall to Buildings Dept., relative to land on Lincoln road and recommending certain additional appropriations for city expenses.

The School Committee recommended an appropriation of \$1500 for care of clocks, and for better ventilation in the Technical High School building.

The mayor also gave the appointments of Henry Baily as assessor for three years, of John C. Madden as a member of the board of health, and of the following assistant assessors for one year each, ward 1, Timothy D. Murphy, Howard B. Coffin, ward 2, Joseph Byers and John G. Thompson, ward 3, Frank E. Hunter and Bernard D. Farrell, ward 4, Willie F. Hadlock, ward 5, Chauncey B. McGee and Gordon McMullin, ward 6, Bertrand V. Degan and Henry H. Read, ward 7, Henry C. Daniels. These appointments were laid over under the rules.

Petitions to apportion betterment assessments were granted to Leander Sampson, Victoria Ferguson, Eleanor Murphy, Simon Morell, Faxon st., Dev. of Wm. Claffin Upham, Oakwood roads, and Regina M. Jones, Waban Hill road.

Petitions of Mrs. Bessie Peters and of Mrs. C. M. Potter for intelligence office licenses were also granted. Other petitions were received from Wendell C. Hatch and Ellis L. Gates for auctioneer licenses, Thomas O'Connell to move building from Lake terrace to Moreland ave., Amos Landry for liquor permit, Mack & Robertson for common victualler license, Chestnut st., ward 5, Edward Joyce for wagon license Harry Stalard for 2nd hand article license, Ella E. Williams and Regina M. Jones relative to betterment assessments on Waban Hill road, of Harry J. Carlson, et al, relative to the same on Bishopgate road, and of Geo. C. Warren relative to same on Dunster road R. F. Sanderson for sewer in Trapelo road, Felton et al, for sewer on Waban Hill road, H. S. St. Couer for sewer in Marlboro st., Gay et al and W. R. Reed for sewers in Woodcliff and Rockledge road, Chas. E. Kennedy for private detective license, Chas. Blakely for license for billiard tables, John J. Bird to transfer pool room to Centre and Pearl sts., A. H. Walt for sewer in Waverley ave. and Blackstone terrace, the Edison Co. for attachments on Bourne st., Stuart, et al, for better lighting on Needham st., Cobleigh, et al, for laying out under the betterment act for concrete sidewalks on Oak terrace.

On reports of committees Albert S. Keene was granted a common victualler license on Centre st., and the Telephone and Edison Co. were granted various attachments and the Edison Co. a conduit location on Bigelow road, \$125,425.75 was appropriated for city expenses during February, \$4025 advanced Pitts and Crushers account, \$500 additional voted for the Barnstable road, \$7400 authorized for purchase of water pipe, etc., hearings on March 2 ordered on sewers in Adams ave., Padstow ave. and Rossmere st., inexpedient voted on offer to buy city land by E. B. Squire, no action necessary on matter of concrete sidewalk on Hancock st., and \$900 for duct exhaust and \$1300 for improving ventilation at Technical High school. An order for \$1000 for care of clocks and electrical apparatus in the schools struck a snag when Alderman Murphy said that the board had no right to make such an appropriation without the request of the mayor. Alderman Pratt believed the board did have the right and the order was referred to the city solicitor for opinion. It was later returned in an amended form carrying \$250 for these expenses during January and February, and so passed by the board. Orders were also passed relative to refund of betterment assessments paid in advance on Waban Hill road, and January expenses.

The board adjourned at 9:12 P. M.

### CITY HALL NOTES

Bids for concrete work for 1914 will be received by the Street Commissioner until Feb. 20th.

A civil service examination for bookkeeper in the Accounting department will be held on March 2nd, open to men between 25 and 45 years of age. The salary is \$1200.

The Water Department sent out bills last month amounting to \$130,800.

At the recent civil service examination for the position of deputy commissioner of Parks and Recreation Grounds of Boston, Mr. Ernst Hermann, Playground director of Newton, stood first with an average of 93.58 per cent.

Mr. Timothy D. Murphy, Democrat, succeeds Mr. Hugh Campbell, Progressive, as assistant assessor in ward 1, Mr. Bernard D. Farrell, Democrat, succeeds Mr. Charles E. Braman, Republican as assistant assessor in ward 3, and the vacancy in the board of health, is filled by the appointment of Mr. John C. Madden, chairman of the Democratic city committee.

BOYLSTON STREET IMPROVEMENT

A communication from the officials of the Boston & Albany section of the New York Central system relative to a new bridge across Boylston street, Newton Highlands, is being considered by the public works committee of the Newton Board of Aldermen and it is adopted it will require an appropriation of about \$90,000 to meet the improvements. The railroad declares that the increased weight of its equipment makes it advisable to replace the old bridge with a modern structure.

In 1902 Boylston street was widened from fifty-five feet to ninety feet, but where the bridge crossed the thoroughfare the street was left at the old width. This makes it a dangerous point for automobiles and wagons, in view of the fact that the tracks of the Boston & Worcester Street Railway run on this street and under the bridge. The railroad officials are willing to make the new span ninety feet in length provided the city officials are desirous of widening the old Worcester turnpike to meet the requirements.

NEWTON CEMETERY CORPORATION

The 60th Annual Meeting of the Newton Cemetery Corporation was held in the chapel at the cemetery on Wednesday.

The annual reports were read, showing the cemetery to be in prosperous condition, with an increased sale of lots for the year.

The following trustees and officers were elected:—Hon. George Hutchinson, Francis Murdoch, Charles W. Ross, Frank A. Mason, George M. Fiske, Henry B. Day, William M. Flanders, Seward W. Jones and William F. Bacon.

President, Hon. George Hutchinson; Vice-President, Wm. M. Flanders; Treasurer and Superintendent, H. Wilson Ross; Clerk and Auditor, Geo. W. Auryman; Assistant Superintendent, Nils H. Mattson.

Hill road. Petitions of Mrs. Bessie Peters and of Mrs. C. M. Potter for intelligence office licenses were also granted. Other petitions were received from Wendell C. Hatch and Ellis L. Gates for auctioneer licenses, Thomas O'Connell to move building from Lake terrace to Moreland ave., Amos Landry for liquor permit, Mack & Robertson for common victualler license, Chestnut st., ward 5, Edward Joyce for wagon license Harry Stalard for 2nd hand article license, Ella E. Williams and Regina M. Jones relative to betterment assessments on Waban Hill road, of Harry J. Carlson, et al, relative to the same on Bishopgate road, and of Geo. C. Warren relative to same on Dunster road R. F. Sanderson for sewer in Trapelo road, Felton et al, for sewer on Waban Hill road, H. S. St. Couer for sewer in Marlboro st., Gay et al and W. R. Reed for sewers in Woodcliff and Rockledge road, Chas. E. Kennedy for private detective license, Chas. Blakely for license for billiard tables, John J. Bird to transfer pool room to Centre and Pearl sts., A. H. Walt for sewer in Waverley ave. and Blackstone terrace, the Edison Co. for attachments on Bourne st., Stuart, et al, for better lighting on Needham st., Cobleigh, et al, for laying out under the betterment act for concrete sidewalks on Oak terrace.

On reports of committees Albert S. Keene was granted a common victualler license on Centre st., and the Telephone and Edison Co. were granted various attachments and the Edison Co. a conduit location on Bigelow road, \$125,425.75 was appropriated for city expenses during February, \$4025 advanced Pitts and Crushers account, \$500 additional voted for the Barnstable road, \$7400 authorized for purchase of water pipe, etc., hearings on March 2 ordered on sewers in Adams ave., Padstow ave. and Rossmere st., inexpedient voted on offer to buy city land by E. B. Squire, no action necessary on matter of concrete sidewalk on Hancock st., and \$900 for duct exhaust and \$1300 for improving ventilation at Technical High school. An order for \$1000 for care of clocks and electrical apparatus in the schools struck a snag when Alderman Murphy said that the board had no right to make such an appropriation without the request of the mayor. Alderman Pratt believed the board did have the right and the order was referred to the city solicitor for opinion. It was later returned in an amended form carrying \$250 for these expenses during January and February, and so passed by the board. Orders were also passed relative to refund of betterment assessments paid in advance on Waban Hill road, and January expenses.

The board adjourned at 9:12 P. M.

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## WEST NEWTON MUSIC CLUB

The West Newton Music Club gave its fifth concert this season at the home of Mrs. Allen Hubbard, Montvale Crescent, on the afternoon of February second. The program was in charge of Miss Rosalind Kempton, and consisted of piano solos by Mrs. Arthur Howland and Mrs. Harry L. Burrage; Neapolitan songs in costume by Miss Elizabeth Upham, accompanied by Miss Anne Kimball; old-fashioned songs in costume by Mrs. Ethel Keach Ferrin, accompanied by Miss Berenice Keach; a violinello solo by Miss Alma La Palme, accompanied by Miss Ama C. Royce; and a violin, cello and piano trio by Mrs. Hubbard, Miss La Palme and Miss Royce.

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## RECEPTION

Mrs. George Stetson Eddy and her daughter, Miss Eleanor Eddy, entertained at a charmingly appointed reception and tea on Wednesday afternoon at their residence on Sargent street, Newton, in honor of Mrs. Francis Pratt Eddy of Cambridge.

The drawing-room and reception rooms were elaborately decorated for the occasion with spring flowers, a yellow and white scheme being carried out in the decorations, and in the dining room where refreshments were served, baskets of lilies, jonquills and hyacinths were arranged with pleasing effect on the table.

The pourers were Mrs. Charles Davoll of Fall River, Miss Edith Jackson of Brookline, Mrs. Clifford R. Eddy and Miss Ruth Eddy of West Newton. The servers included Mrs. Carl Smith of Walpole, Mrs. Richard Austin of Brookline, Miss Marian Thompson of Brookline, Mrs. Richard J. Thompson of Fall River, Miss Janie D. Hobart and Miss Irene Brown of Newton.

The hostesses received from 4 until 6 in the drawing room, and music was furnished during the reception by Miss Payne.

Mrs. George Eddy was gowned in white satin with over-dress of black lace and carried violets. Miss Eleanor Eddy wore pale blue satin with white lace over-dress and carried sweet peas and Mrs. Francis Pratt Eddy wore a gown of pale peach tulle and carried sweet peas.

There was an attendance of more than 100 guests prominent in society from Fall River, Boston, Brookline, Cambridge, Walpole and the Newtons.

## BRAE BURN CLUB

Mrs. Leon H. Cress was the hostess at an elaborate bridge party on Thursday afternoon at Brae Burn.

The game was auction bridge and ten tables were arranged, with handsome souvenirs of rock-crystal bonnet dishes, at each table.

In the dining room the decorative scheme was yellow, and yellow jonquills were arranged attractively on the tea table.

Souvenirs were awarded to Mrs. Blodgett, Mrs. Clifford, Mrs. Cobb, Mrs. Pond, Mrs. Fletcher, Mrs. Forbes, Mrs. Dinnell, Mrs. Felton and Miss Gorey.

Mrs. J. Weston Allen of Newton Highlands entertained at luncheon on Tuesday at the Brae Burn Club. Covers were laid for twelve.

Mr. Forest S. Smith gave a dinner-dance on Wednesday evening at Brae Burn.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry L. Ayer of West Newton will entertain the members of the Supper Dancing Club on Saturday evening at Brae Burn.

Mrs. Monroe and Mrs. Wood of Brookline have sent out cards for a dancing party on Tuesday evening, February 17 at Brae Burn.

## CHURCH SUPPER

There was an attendance of about 250 at the annual church supper and business meeting held Friday evening at the Congregational Church, West Newton.

Rev. Dr. Theodore P. Prudden, a former pastor, and Mrs. Prudden of Brookline, were the guests of honor, and the speakers included Mr. Clarke who spoke of the Italian work and Boys' Club, Mr. Youker who responded for the new members of the Church, and Mrs. Lovell spoke for the Mothers' Club.

Musical selections were finely rendered by the Sunday School Orchestra.

At the business meeting the annual reports of the church were read.

## INDOOR CLASS MEET

One high school record was broken and another record equalled at the annual indoor class meet of the Newton High School held last Friday night at the drill hall in Newtonville.

Newton's relay team against the Allen School team bettered the former record of 2m 32.5s by 2.3-5 seconds. Roberts made four seconds flat in the first and final heats in the 30-yard hurdles, equaling the record made in 1910 by Clancy.

Arthur Boudrot, who promised to be a star runner, was thrown in a jam during the 300-yard race and a pole marker pierced his leg. He may not be able to run again this year.

Ide, 14, put up a very game race in the 600-yard run, coming up from behind in the last three feet and winning by a very small margin over Naughton. The summary:

30-Yard Dash—Won by Litchfield, 14, 15.5 seconds; Holt, 14, 15.5 seconds; 3-4-5s.

100-Yard Run—Won by Dowd, 14, 16.5 seconds; McGovern, 15, 17.5 seconds; 2m 36.5-5s.

Shotput—Won by Roberts, 15, 35.5 feet; 15.5 seconds; Newell, 15, 35.5 feet; 15.5 seconds; 3ft 9in.

300-Yard Run—Won by Holt, 14, 15.5 seconds; Adams, 16, 16.5 seconds; 3-4-5s.

600-Yard Run—Won by Ide, 14, 14.5 seconds; Rogers, 15, 15.5 seconds; 1m 26s.

High Jump—Won by Roberts, 15, 5.5 feet; 14.5 seconds; West, 14, 5.5 feet; 5ft 4.5-12in.

50-Yard Hurdles—Won by Pierce, 15, 15.5 seconds; Kelly, 15, 15.5 seconds; 15.5 seconds; 15.5 seconds.

Midlet Relay Race—Won by Newton (Burrows, Baker, Hovenden, Trowbridge); Fessenden School, second (Mitchell, Abbott, Partridge, McLane). Time, 53.4-5s.

Class Team Relay, 1914 vs. 1915—Won by 1914 (Nathan, Stebbins, Knapp, O'Neil); 1915, second (Turner, Rogers, McNamara, Sexton). Time, 4m 40.1-5s.

Class Team Relay, 1916 vs. 1917—Won by 1916 (Boudrot, D. Angier, Smith, Adams); 1917 (Shaughnessy, Hicks, Diamond, Havendon), second. Class Team Final, 1914 vs. 1916—Won by 1914.

Relay Race—Won by Newton High (Litchfield, O'Neil, Ide, Holt, Allen, School 2d (Blinn, Curtis, Bigelow, Down), second. Time, 2m 30s.

## WOMEN'S CLUBS

MISS GRACE M. BURT, Editor.

The event of the week is the Mid-Winter meeting of the Massachusetts State Federation of Women's Clubs today at Dorchester. A full account will be given next week. The program is an attractive one and should bring out a large number of delegates, though the place of meeting is not as convenient as having it in Boston, which has been done for several years. The legislative matters, which were presented for action by the convention, were discussed at a legislative conference at Medford on Tuesday, so the delegates have had the opportunity of knowing what measures were to be presented and for that reason the endorsement of the Federation should have much greater significance than formerly.

## Federation Announcements

Friday, Feb. 13, 2.30 P. M.—Educational Conference at Reading by invitation of the Reading Woman's Club. Subjects: "Better Newspapers," discussed by R. J. Flynn of the Christian Science Monitor, "Vocational Education," Frank V. Thompson, assistant superintendent of the Boston schools.

Friday, Feb. 20, 2 P. M.—Industrial and Social Conditions Conference by invitation of Rosindale Community Club.

## Local Announcements

On the afternoon of Feb. 9 Mrs. Mary C. Collar, will address her own club, the Waban Woman's Club, on "John Synge, the Genius among the Irish Playwrights," at the home of Mrs. William Gould, 1704 Beacon street. Tea will be served.

The Newton Highlands Monday Club will observe Lincoln Day at the home of Mrs. J. V. Beekman, Jr., 21 Monadnock road, Newton Centre, Feb. 9.

On Monday afternoon the C. L. S. C. of Newton Highlands meets with Mrs. W. S. Richards of Lake avenue.

The monthly current events lecture under the auspices of the Newtonville Woman's Guild will be given at the Congregational Church on Tuesday morning, Feb. 10, at 10.30, by Mrs. Lella C. Pennock.

Ernest Hopkins, president of the Employers' Association of Boston, will address the Auburndale Review Club at its meeting on Feb. 10, at 10 A. M. in Stirling Hall, Knights of King Arthur building.

The Parliamentary Law Club meets with Mrs. W. D. Tripp on Tuesday at 10.15.

On Wednesday morning Mrs. Butler Wilson will speak before the Social Science Club. Guests may be invited. Mrs. Wilson represents the organization for bettering the conditions of the negro.

"Venezuela" will be the subject of the paper to be given at the meeting of the Pierian Club on Wednesday, Feb. 11, at the home of Mrs. Nutter of Boylston street.

Havah W. L. Hubbard talks on the opera, "The Love of Two Kings" before the Brightelmstone Club on Wednesday, Feb. 11, at 2 P. M.

The club holds a subscription whist at the home of Mrs. L. W. Richardson, 2 Cambridge Terrace, on Thursday at two o'clock.

Every effort is being made by the West Newton Women's Educational Club to have their President's Day on Feb. 13 a delightful affair. Mrs. Jane Owen Phillips, a sociologist from London, Eng., will speak on "Ideals and Actualities." The committee in charge have been most fortunate in securing Mrs. O. H. Schildbach as pianist.

The Newton Highlands Shakespeare Club meets with Miss Alberta Crombie of 69 Columbus street on Saturday, Feb. 14th.

## Local Happenings

On Thursday evening, Jan. 29, the West Newton Women's Educational Club observed Gentlemen's Night in Players Small Hall. The guests were greeted by Mrs. C. E. Conant, chairman of the reception committee, and Mrs. Anderson and Mrs. Atkinson, presented them to the president, Mrs. George W. St. Amant, and other officers.

Mrs. N. H. for protecting and attracting the wild birds in winter, at the Hunnewell Club, Monday evening, under the auspices of the Newton Woman's Club.

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depth of passion, brilliancy of poetic fancy or exquisite delicacies of expression, but it is one of the most purely original of his conceptions and among the most perfect, as he has shown in it all the variety of his power. The human and imaginary characters, the dramatic and the grotesque, are blended together with the greatest art.

On Monday afternoon the Newton Mothers Club had a most delightful day at the home of Mrs. William G. Snow of Devon road, Newton Centre. The entertainment was a program of songs by Miss Crystal Waters. Her selections were divided into five groups and included Italian, French German and folk songs, all well suited to her very sweet voice. Miss Waters has recently returned from Italy where she has been studying music. At the close of the musicale a social hour was enjoyed. Mrs. Edward R. Speare and Mrs. Stephen H. Greene presided over the tea table and Mrs. Henry D. Lloyd served punch. Some ninety members and guests were present.

At the meeting of the Newton Highlands C. L. S. C. held on Monday afternoon at the home of Dr. Worthworth Miss Bacall was in charge of the work. Bernard Shaw's "John Bull's Other Island" was read by club members. The play was a new type of drama at the time of its publication and brings out the different phases of feeling relative to Home Rule in Ireland. It is full of humorous situations and much merriment was occasioned by the reading.

Prof. E. Charlton Black lectured before the Newton Highlands Monday Club at the home of Mrs. Drowne on Feb. 2 on "American Literature." Dr. Black brought out some new points of view as he touched upon the various writers, among them the statement that the first American literature was published in 1620, Bradford's History being one of the finest bits of English prose ever written. Mrs. Arthur Wellman spoke briefly of the work being done at Twombly House at Upper Falls.

In the presentation of "The Twig of Thorns" by members of the Newtonville Woman's Guild at the Technical High school hall on Tuesday afternoon a great success was scored. Five high school girls took part in the play and in the Irish folk dance which were introduced. Much credit for the success of the affair is due Miss Wetherbee, a teacher in the Technical School, who acted as coach. The following comprised the cast: Nessa Telg, Mrs. G. R. Pulsifer; Mauria, Mrs. W. C. Boyden; Onah, Mrs. J. A. Arann; Mrs. W. O. Hunt; Aileen, Mrs. A. L. Wakefield; Father Brian, Miss Margaret Magill; a fairy girl, Miss Ruth Allen; neighbors, Miss Marian Bassett, Mrs. C. W. Davidson, Mrs. Daniels, Mrs. F. E. Mann, Mrs. Samuel Thurber, and Miss Westgate. Mrs. A. P. Carter was at the piano. All the parts were so well sustained that it is impossible to single out anyone, and the Guild is to be congratulated upon having so much talent among its own membership. More than 100 guests besides Guild members were present.

On Wednesday morning the Social Science Club held its monthly business meeting when reports were heard from standing committees and routine business was transacted. A report of legislative affairs was presented by Mrs. C. C. Smith and Mrs. F. H. Tucker gave an account of the legislative conference held at Medford on Tuesday and explained the bills to be presented to the State Federation at the midwinter meeting. The carrying out of the poster campaign was put in the hands of the Industrial and Social Conditions committee. The club voted the following amounts from the philanthropic fund: \$25 for the work of the Nonantum Day Nursery Association, \$100 for the Newton Hospital, \$70 for the Hampton Scholarship, \$25 for the School of Social Service, and \$30 for the work of the Social Service committee of the Newton Federation.

At the close of the business Miss Taylor, school matron at the Stearns School, told of the work she is doing for that part of Newton. The Stearns Neighborhood House has been given up as there seems no real need of a day nursery at present and instead the Day Nursery is doing a greater work at a less cost in connection with the Stearns School. She is coming in contact with some 5000 persons. Classes in sewing, cooking, and folk dancing are being held at the school and much is being done among the mothers in helping them to know how to take care of their children.

At the Newton Centre Woman's Club yesterday morning, Mr. Edward H. Chandler's Current Events lecture was as interesting and informing as usual. In the afternoon the Club entertained the children of members between 5 and 15 years of age. Miss Anna Varner Baker kept them in gales of laughter with her clever cartoons, monologues, stories and rapid clay modelling. Ice cream and cookies were served later.

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## SILVER WEDDING DAY

At the silver wedding anniversary, last evening of Mr. and Mrs. William J. Cozens, the following poem was read by Rev. George G. Phipps of Newton Highlands:

(Tune of "Auld Lang Syne")  
Dear Friends, with joy we greet this

Your Silver Wedding Day,—  
Though faith it tests thus to believe

Time has so sped away,—  
But happy years,—heart—fulsome

years,—  
Have slipped in silence by,  
With joys and sorrows, smiles and

And blessings from on High.  
REFRAIN

Ring, Silver Bells! Ring merry chimes  
O'er this long wedded pair,  
Who Five and Twenty loving years  
Have known Our Father's care!

Their hearts still glow with mutual  
love,  
Along Life's Silver way,—  
Mid smiles and frowns,—mid ups and

downs—  
Affection has held sway,—  
Fair Olive Branches, too, have sprung  
From this choice Family Tree,—  
And Silver Songs full of love rung  
Around their fireside free.

REFRAIN  
A rosary, 'tis, with gems so bright  
This "Silver Cord" we view,—  
On which we slip a bead, tonight,  
Glittering like Silver new!  
Oh precious is true marriage bliss,—  
Soul's mate for the skies!  
Love is from Heaven,—true love like  
this,—  
Toward Heaven 'twill ever rise.

REFRAIN  
MANAGING A TOWN'S AFFAIRS

In the city-manager plan lies the best solution which we have yet discovered for our vexed problem of municipal government. It is logical; it works to perfection in Germany; it is directed precisely at some of the most flagrant evils prevalent in the administration of our cities; it is eminently sensible. And the professional politicians do not like it.

But how is it suited to the government of suburban towns and cities? Most particularly well. One great difficulty which the suburban community has to meet is that of finding men of the right calibre who can devote enough time and energy to the service of the community. But it would be easy to find men of high ideals and ample ability who could give all the time and energy necessary to determine the policies if the administrative work were done by an expert who was devoting all his time to it. Nowadays, much of the time of our town council is taken up with petty details which ought never to be a matter of debate. I have heard a town council solemnly debate the question whether the town house should have half a dozen new brooms.

It has been said that battles have been won by poor generals, but that no battle was ever won by a debating society. The aphorism is no less applicable to the administration of a town's affairs. Roads ought not to be paved, nor water works managed, nor streets cleaned, nor fire prevented by a debating society.—Suburban Life

—The Countryside Magazine for February.

## THE STEADY SUBSCRIBER

How dear to my heart is the Steady subscriber, who pays in advance at the first of each year; who sends in his money and does it quite gaily and easily round the office a halo of cheer. He never says, "Stop it, I can't afford it," nor, "I'm getting more papers now than I read," but always says, "Send it, the family likes it; in fact we all find it the thing that we need." How welcome his letter whenever it comes to us, how it makes our heart throb, how it makes our eyes dance. We outwardly thank him, we inwardly bless him, the Steady subscriber who pays in advance.

If you will carefully re-read the foregoing you may discover a certain topographical peculiarity which is intended as a gentle reminder to a few of our readers. A word to the wise (and good) is sufficient.—Exchange.

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## INFORMAL DANCE

Mr. Irving G. Clarke entertained a company of friends at an informal dancing party on Saturday evening at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. James R. Hodder on Kenrick street, Newton.

The living room was converted into a ball room for the occasion, and a delightful program of popular music was furnished by Walter Smith's orchestra.

The guests included members of the younger society set of Hunnewell and Farlow hills.

Among those present were the Misses Dorothy Simpson, Virginia Monday, Dorothy Chaplin, Helen Bothfeld, Marie Daiger, Ruth Haynes and Miss Maxim, and Messrs. Paul Haynes, William Ferris, Gerald Baker, Henry Bothfeld, Gordon Berry, Mylert Bruner, Richard Clarke, and Mayell Bruner.

## SUBSCRIPTION DANCE

Miss Olga Ayer of Newton Highlands gave a very successful dancing party on Saturday evening in Temple hall, Newtonville.

The decorations were very attractive, the hall being festooned with red paper flowers and lighted with red Japanese lanterns.

There was an attendance of about 50 couples and popular music was furnished by a string orchestra.

The matrons were Mrs. Arthur C. Dunmore of West Newton; Mrs. A. Dudley Dowd of Newton Centre; and Mrs. Frederick Bancroft of West Newton.

The ushers included Robert Baldwin, Charles Wilbur, Harold Ayer, and Mr. Blodgett.

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**—GO TO CHURCH NEXT SUNDAY!**  
—Telephone Ma-Lean, 725. Adv. for anything in carpenter line. Adv. for anything in carpenter line.

—Miss Harriet L. Pierce of Maple avenue has been admitted to the Massachusetts bar.

—Mr. Harry C. Hopewell of Waverley avenue entertained a house party over the week end at his farm in South Natick.

—Mrs. Charles Jamieson Brown and Miss Margaret Brown of Hinneston will leave Monday for a short stay in New York.

—Cards have been sent out for a subscription dance on Wednesday evening at Hertig's New Bungalow, Brighton.

—At the annual meeting of the National Association of Women Manufacturers held this week in Boston, Mr. John Hopewell of Sargent street was elected a member of the executive committee.

—Next Wednesday afternoon and evening the Ladies' Aid of the Methodist Church will hold a sale at the home of Mrs. Fred A. Hubbard on Hollis street. Tea will be served at four o'clock.

—The alarm from box 175 this morning was caused by a runaway team of T. Stuart & Sons colliding with the post at the corner of Cook street and Morgan place, on which the box was located.

—Do not forget the fair at Channing Church next Tuesday, gay kimono, dainty bag, staid household articles, delicious candy and delicate cake, all that can be desired may be found there during the afternoon and evening. Afternoon tea, refreshments, music. Come and have a good time.

—Mrs. Sarah Frances Kenrick, the widow of the late John A. Kenrick, former city treasurer of Newton, died at her home on Monument street last Monday from an attack of pneumonia. Mrs. Kenrick was 69 years of age and has been a resident of this city for many years. She is survived by two daughters, the Misses Mabel Frances and Jeanne Baldwin Kenrick of this city. Funeral services were held yesterday afternoon in charge of Rev. Harry Lutz, pastor of Channing Church and the interment was at Mt. Auburn.

—At the meeting of Channing Alliance on Tuesday afternoon Mrs. J. G. Bridge read letters from correspondents telling of the good use to which many articles in the Alliance's Christmas boxes had been put and of good work being done in many places. Mrs. James P. Tolman told of the summer work at the South End Industrial School in Roxbury to which the Alliance contributes each year. The school has purchased the Norfolk House and hereafter the work will be located in that building. Mrs. Field from Weston, a guest, told of the mid-winter meeting of the New England Associated Alliance held at Winchester in January. The paper of the afternoon was given by Mrs. Alvin R. Bailey, who read extracts from an unpublished manuscript written by the daughter of Rev. William Hazlett, a Unitarian minister who came to this country in 1780. It was full of interesting points and quaint expressions and gave a clear insight into the affairs and conditions of that early period. During the social hour tea was served under the direction of Miss Clara Soule, Mrs. Henry E. Bothfield and Mrs. Spencer W. Shephardson.

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**Peremptory Sale of Estate Nos. 851-853-855 Washington Street, Corner of No. 6, Bailey Place.**  
Will be sold by public auction on the premises Tuesday, February 24, at 3 o'clock p. m.

The building is wood, has 3 stores over first floor, 2 apartments above. Lot of land fronts on Washington Street about 43 feet, on Bailey Place about 30 feet, area as per atlas 3313 square feet.

The estate is very centrally located about 3 minutes' walk from Newtonville Station. Electric on Washington Street.

Terms: Cash at time of delivery of deed. \$500 must be paid in cash at time and place of sale. Martin Murphy, Executor.

**Commonwealth of Massachusetts, Middlesex, ss.**  
**PROBATE COURT.**

To the heirs-at-law, next of kin and all other persons interested in the estate of Susan Augusta Hardwick late of Newton in said County, deceased, I do hereby certify that the following is a true and correct copy of the will of said deceased, as the same appears from the records of said Court.

WHEREAS a petition has been presented to said Court to grant a letter of administration on the estate of said deceased, intestate, to her son, without giving a bond on her bond.

You are hereby cited to appear at said Probate Court to be held at Cambridge, in said County of Middlesex, on the twenty-fifth day of February A. D. 1914, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be granted.

And said petitioner is ordered to cause this citation by delivering a copy thereof to each person interested in the estate fourteen days, at least, before said Court, or by publishing the same once in each week, for three successive weeks, in the Newton Graphic, a newspaper published in Newton the last publication to be one day, at least, before said Court.

Witness, Charles J. McIntire, Esquire, First Judge of said Court, this fifth day of February, in the year one thousand nine hundred and fourteen.

**W. E. ROGERS, Register.**

**Commonwealth of Massachusetts, Middlesex, ss.**  
**PROBATE COURT.**

To all persons who are or may become interested in the estate hereinafter mentioned, held in trust under the will of Anthony Holbrook late of Newton in the County of Middlesex, and to all persons whose issue not now in being may become so interested.

WHEREAS, Walter D. Lathrop trustee under said will has presented to said Court his petition praying that he may be authorized to sell, either at public or private sale, certain real estate held by him as such trustee situated in Newton in the County of Middlesex, and particularly described in said petition, for the reasons therein set forth.

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court to be held at Cambridge, in said County of Middlesex, on the twenty-fourth day of February A. D. 1914, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be granted.

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**W. E. ROGERS, Register.**

## GOOD DINNER DISHES

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**Fried Chicken**—Cut the chicken into pieces for serving. Roll in flour, or, if preferred, in beaten egg and crumbs. Heat one cup nice dripping or lard, one teaspoon salt, and one saltspoon pepper; lay in the pieces and fry brown on each side, allowing not less than twenty minutes for the thickest pieces and ten for the thin ones. Lay on a hot platter, and make a gravy by adding one tablespoonful flour to the fat, stirring smooth, and adding slowly one cup boiling water or stock. Strain over the chicken. Milk or cream may be used instead of water.

**Stewed Oxtails**—Cut the tails in two-inch lengths and brown in butter, prepare a brown sauce, season it well and stew all slowly together for two hours. Garnish with tiny milk biscuits.

**Beef and Ham Pie**—Use raw ham and dice both meats, line the dish with a rich biscuit, fill with the meat and a high seasoning, about one-half cup chopped potato, small bits of the crust, and one cup rich gravy. Bake in a moderate oven, and just before serving pour in a cupful or more of piping hot gravy.

**Oyster Pie**—Line a vegetable dish with mashed potatoes. Brush it over with the white of an egg, and put it in the oven to brown lightly. Take two dozen oysters, half a pint of milk, one tablespoonful of butter, pepper and salt to taste. Let it come to a boil and thicken with a heaping teaspoonful of flour and put into the space left in the vegetable dish.

**Creamed Salt Mackerel**—Soak the fish overnight and wipe dry before using. Broil on a buttered gridiron over a clear fire. Lay on a hot dish and pour over it a cream sauce made as follows: Into one cupful of boiling water stir two teaspoonfuls of cornstarch, rubbed smooth with one tablespoonful of butter; cook until well thickened. Add a well-beaten egg, mixing carefully to prevent curdling. Cook a moment longer, season with a tablespoonful of chopped parsley and a saltspoonful of pepper.

**Baked Salt Mackerel**—Salt mackerel are neither so plentiful nor as cheap as they were twenty-five years ago, but occasionally a baked one fills the demand for something different. Soak the fish overnight in a large amount of cold water, with the flesh side turned down. Wipe dry, lay in a baking pan, add one cupful of milk and set in the oven. Bake about twenty-five minutes, put on a hot dish, butter lightly and garnish with sliced lemon.

**Country Pot Roast.**  
In a hot frying pan melt a lump of butter or fry out a small piece of pork. While very hot put in the roast, browning all sides. Roll it over. Do not insert the fork, so as to keep all the juice in. When browned put in a pot which has been heated, put water in the frying pan to get any juice that may have escaped and pour over the meat. Cover closely and cook slowly for three hours, turning occasionally. Keep about a cupful of water under the meat and sprinkle a little flour and salt over it 15 minutes before taking out. Turn several times.

**Dumas Sauce.**  
Place in a sauce bowl one heaping teaspoon salt, three-quarter teaspoon fresh-crushed very fine white pepper, one medium-sized sound shallot, peeled and very finely chopped, one heaping teaspoon very finely chopped cheese, one-half teaspoon finely chopped parsley. Gently mix together, then pour in one-half teaspoon olive oil, six drops tabasco sauce, one light saltspoon good fresh mustard, lastly one light gill good vinegar. Mix well, send to the table, serve as required.

**Maple Frosting.**  
Here is a tested recipe for maple frosting: Break a half pound of soft maple sugar into small pieces and put into a saucepan with half a cupful of boiling water. Stir occasionally until the sugar is dissolved, and boil without stirring until the sirup will thread when dropped from the tip of a spoon. Pour gradually on the beaten whites of two eggs, beating constantly, and continue beating until the mixture is of the right consistency for spreading.—E. V. B.

**Cream of Chicken Soup.**  
Break up the chicken carcass left from the previous day, add bits of skin and barley, cover with cold water, cook slowly on the back of stove or simmering burner for an hour or more, then drain off liquor, add an equal amount of milk and thicken with flour and butter rubbed together. A little cooked rice or macaroni improves this economical and delicious soup.

**Quick Coffee Bread.**  
One quart of flour, one level teaspoonful of salt, two teaspoonfuls of baking powder, five eggs well beaten with two tablespoonfuls of sugar, one pint of milk and two tablespoonfuls of softened butter. Beat well, spread in a pan and sprinkle sugar, a little cinnamon and bits of butter on top, and bake in a quick oven.

**To Keep Salt From Clogging.**  
If a little cornstarch is mixed with salt before being put into the shaker it will keep it from clogging.

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To sew on the strips, first neatly join all the pieces together until you have the required length, fold them lengthways, and make a crease.

Place one edge of the binding strip against the edge of the material on the right side, the wrong side of the binding being uppermost, and run it along about a quarter of an inch from the edge.

Press the seam well with the thumb to make as flat as possible, fold it down exactly at the crease you first made in the middle, and hem it neatly on to the wrong side.

If you are using Prussian binding tape, or any similar article that has not a raw edge, simply fold it lengthwise in half, and make a crease, lay it over the edge to be bound, half on one side and half on the other, tack securely in position, and hem with small stitches, first on the right side and then on the wrong.

**Potato Cottage Pudding.**  
Take half a pound of boiled potatoes, dry and floury. Beat until they are quite smooth, add a pinch of salt, the grated rind and strained juice of a small lemon, two tablespoonfuls of moist sugar, two ounces of clarified butter or good beef dripping and two well-beaten eggs. Beat the mixture thoroughly, turn it into a buttered dish and bake in a well-heated oven. The flavor of the pudding may be varied by the addition of a few washed and dried currants or an ounce of blanched and pounded almonds or a glass of sherry. Time to bake, three-quarters of an hour. Sufficient for four or five persons.

**Simple Rules to Be Observed in Making Preparation Which Has Made Name for Itself.**

Here are some rules that the old Creole cooks give for soup making—and if you have ever been in Louisiana you know that their soup is worth emulating:

To get the most goodness out of a soup bone, it should be fractured every inch of its length. The soup should never stop cooking from the time it is put on the stove until it is done, although it should at no time boil furiously.

Once the soup is started cooking, no water should be added, as this spoils the flavor.

The soup bone should be put into cold water, and no salt should be added till the soup is done, as the salt stops the flow of the juices.

The soup should cook from five to seven hours at least.

All spices used in the soup should be put in whole—that is, whole black and white peppers, cloves, bay leaves, cloves of garlic, etc.

One quart of water should be allowed for every pound of meat and bone, to begin with. This is a rule of the Creoles, but they make rich soup. If weaker soup is to be made, or if vegetables as well as meat are used in the stock, the amount of water can be increased.

**Caramel Bavarian Cream.**  
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**Orange Bavarois.**  
Squeeze a sufficient number of oranges to produce a half pint of juice, including the juice of half a lemon. Add to this six ounces of sugar and stir until the sugar is dissolved. Soak for a few minutes one-quarter ounce of gelatin in a little cold water. Then dissolve in a little hot water. Add this to the fruit juice and stir until the mixture begins to set; then fold in a half pint of whipped cream. Have ready a mold lined with sections of oranges, and fill this carefully. Put in a cool place.

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Baked cabbage with meat is a Russian housewife's stand-by. Perhaps it will supply the want of a new meat dish for dinner. The recipe does not, however, suggest itself as one good for delicate digestions, but hearty eaters, living outdoor lives, should find it satisfactory. It is prepared thus: Shred one medium-sized head of cabbage very fine and stand it in cold water for two hours, then drain thoroughly. Place a layer of this shredded cabbage in a deep baking-dish; on it place a layer of cooked meat chopped fine; this may be either veal, beef or ham, and ham is especially good. The meat should be well cooked and chopped fine. Season each layer with butter, salt and pepper. At least a cupful of meat should be used in each layer. A tablespoonful of grated cheese sprinkled over the meat adds greatly to the flavor of the dish. On this place another layer of cabbage alternating with the meat, until the dish is filled, having a layer of the meat with its seasoning and the cheese on top. Pour over this a cupful and a half of boiling water and a cook covered in a moderate oven for an hour and a half. At least half an hour before the dish is to be served remove the cover and add a cupful of sweet cream; replace the cover for fifteen minutes and then cook fifteen minutes uncovered, increasing the heat. The top should be delicately browned. If this is to be served hot it should be placed on the table in the dish in which it is cooked. If to be served cold leave it in the baking dish and put in a cool place until ready to serve, then turn out on a platter.

**FOR FAMOUS CREOLE SOUP**

Simple Rules to Be Observed in Making Preparation Which Has Made Name for Itself.

Here are some rules that the old Creole cooks give for soup making—and if you have ever been in Louisiana you know that their soup is worth emulating:

To get the most goodness out of a soup bone, it should be fractured every inch of its length. The soup should never stop cooking from the time it is put on the stove until it is done, although it should at no time boil furiously.

Once the soup is started cooking, no water should be added, as this spoils the flavor.

The soup bone should be put into cold water, and no salt should be added till the soup is done, as the salt stops the flow of the juices.

The soup should cook from five to seven hours at least.

All spices used in the soup should be put in whole—that is, whole black and white peppers, cloves, bay leaves, cloves of garlic, etc.

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## WASHING DAY ADVICE

HOW TIME MAY BE SAVED AND GOOD RESULTS ACHIEVED.

Housewife of Experience Tells of Her Methods, Which Seem to Be Worth Copying—Considers Wringer Absolute Necessity.

My method of washing is so easy, and at the same time so effective, that I wish to pass it on for the benefit of others.

I fill my washing machine with water cool enough to bear my hands in, and add one and one-half cups of good washing powder.

After carefully sorting the clothes, I first put in the least soiled, and turn the machine until they are clean; then with the wringer attached to the machine, I wring out all except those with the soiled spots, which I leave in to go through another washing.

I then proceed with the next lot, and so on until all are done, adding a little boiling water from time to time if the wash is a large one.

And nice pieces, such as fine lingerie, or gingham likely to be faded by the powder, I do by hand with a good soap.

After the dirt has all been removed I draw off the water and rinse the machine, then fill it with clean water to which is added bluing, and beginning with the first clothes washed I rinse them by running the machine as for washing them, and wring them out.

My clothes are as clean and white as if I had soaked, boiled and washed them through a half dozen waters, as I used to do.

In these days of efficiency women should use all the labor-saving devices possible. Never try to do without a wringer.

Add a pinch of sugar to water in which veils are washed, to give body to the otherwise flimsy veil.—Exchange.

**Flapjacks and Pancakes.**  
A friend asks the difference between flapjacks and pancakes. A recipe for each is given for comparison and use. The flapjacks require one quart of boiling milk to which add two cups corn meal, one tablespoon butter and one teaspoon sugar. Cover and set away over night. In the morning add two eggs yolks, one scant cup flour and teaspoon salt, one teaspoon baking powder, which should be well stirred in. Just before cooking on the griddle or pan add the beaten whites of two eggs mixed in lightly. A good pancake recipe is: One egg beaten light, a pinch of salt added, one quart of sour milk, enough flour to make a stiff batter, with one heaping teaspoon soda sifted in flour.

**Tomatoes, Carolina Style.**  
A dozen large, sound, ripe tomatoes. Cut out from the top of each an inch round piece and scoop out all the seeds and liquid. Cook a pint of Carolina rice in a quart of veal broth (made from bones), salted, and half a minced green pepper added. When it has boiled 15 minutes add four ounces of oil or butter, mingle well and then let it stand where it will steam for about ten minutes. Then fill the tomatoes, put on the covers, arrange in a baking pan, sprinkle over with oil or butter, and bake half an hour in a moderately hot oven. Dish up and pour a little sauce around it and serve.

**Spanish Cream.**  
Soak for half an hour a quarter of a box of gelatine in a pint of milk. Then put it on the fire in a double boiler; beat the yolks of two eggs and half a cup of sugar together, and when the milk is boiling stir the eggs in; cook until it begins to thicken. Beat the whites of the eggs very light and stir into the mixture when it is taken off the fire; flavor with two teaspoonfuls of vanilla, and pour into the mold to firm. The mold must be first dipped in cold water, and the whites of eggs beaten thoroughly well into the custard.

**Pickled Sweet Apples.**  
For pickling the apples may be pared, quartered and cored, as for canning, or pared and the core removed with a sharp knife, leaving the apple in its original shape, or they may be cut in halves and the core taken out. Cook in a syrup made of a quart of vinegar and three and a half pounds of sugar, flavored with an ounce of cinnamon buds. The syrup will be sufficient for seven pounds of apples if the fruit is at all juicy. Boil slowly until a silver fork will easily penetrate the fruit.

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## LOST

LOST: An automobile robe, green plush on one side, other side black, rubber interlined. Lost from car on road between Elliot and Lower Falls, Sunday evening, February 1st. Telephone Newton South 488-2. Reward \$25.00. St. Charles Car Wash, Newton Highlands.

LOST: On Centre or Church Sts., Newton, on Wednesday, Jan. 28, between 11 and 12 A. M., a silk watch bag, containing a silver thimble, valued as a keepsake. Reward for return to Mrs. Edmund I. Leeds, 237 Park St., Newton.

## WANTED

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WANTED: Girl living at home as office attendant. Apply Room B, Bank Building, on Monday.

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### PUBLIC MEETING

The Newton Equal Franchise Association will hold a public meeting on Monday, Feb. 9, 3.30 P. M., at Bray Hall, Newton Centre. Dr. Samuel M. Crothers of Cambridge and Mrs. Lewis K. Johnson, President of the Cambridge Political Equality League, will speak on Suffrage. The public is invited.

### POLITICAL NOTES

Edward A. Thurston, the new chairman of the Republican State Committee, attended the meeting and election of officers of the Republican City Committee Friday evening at the Newton Club. The officers elected are Howard Emerson, chairman; Horace M. Bunker, secretary, and Edwin Richards, treasurer. Short addresses were made by Mr. Thurston, William F. Garcelon and Representatives Henry E. Bothfield and George H. Ellis.

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### DEATH OF PROFESSOR BROWN

Professor Charles Rufus Brown of the Newton Theological Institution, who died on Sunday at a sanatorium in Melrose, was a widely-known theologian and Hebraic scholar. He was born in Kingston, N. H., Feb. 22, 1848, the son of Samuel and Elvira Latham (Small) Brown. He was graduated from the United States Naval Academy in 1869, remaining in the navy until 1874, when he resigned to enter the Newton Theological Institution. He abandoned his studies at Newton to take a course at Harvard University, from which he was graduated in 1877, when he returned to the Newton institution for two years.

From 1879 to 1881 he was at the Universities of Berlin and Leipzig, and upon his return to this country, in 1881, Professor Brown was ordained a Baptist minister. His first pastorate was at Franklin Falls, N. H. In 1883 he was appointed associate professor of Biblical interpretation at Newton Theological Institution, and three years later he became professor of Hebrew and cognate languages there, remaining in that position until his last illness. He had held during this time professorships at Boston University School of Theology and at the University of Chicago Summer Quarters, as well as filling pulpits in various parts of New England. He had received honorary degrees from Colgate and Colby colleges.

Professor Brown was resident director of the American School of Oriental Research in Jerusalem in 1910-11, during a leave of absence from Newton. He was the author of several works, including "An Aramaic Method," a new translation of the book of Jeremiah, and numerous commentaries and contributions to reviews. He married, in 1884, Clarissa Locke Dodge of Hampton Falls, N. H.

Funeral services were held Tuesday morning at the First Baptist Church, Newton Centre. Owing to the wish of the deceased the service was very simple. It was conducted by Rev. Maurice A. Levy, the pastor, and Prof. John M. English, D.D. of the institution.

The faculty and members of the student body attended the service, as did a large gathering of people prominent in the religious life of Greater Boston. The burial took place that afternoon in Hampton Falls, N. H. Plans are now being made by Rev. Mr. Levy to conduct a memorial service in the church on Tuesday afternoon, Feb. 17.

The bearers were Messrs. Henry H. Kendall, W. Claxton Bray, E. Clifford Potter, Sidney B. Paine and A. W. Armington, all members of the First Baptist Church.

### HUNNEWELL CLUB

At a recent meeting of the Executive committee, the following expression of appreciation was sent to the Messrs. F. E. and F. O. Stanley for the complimentary concert given two weeks ago to members of the Club:—"In behalf of all members of the Hunnewell Club and their invited guests, we wish to express to you and to your brother the thanks and deep appreciation of all for your kindness and courtesy in giving us the privilege of listening with so much pleasure on Thursday evening, to four artists of such musical ability. Stanley Hall was never more happily filled, and everyone present had words of praise and thanks for a most enjoyable program."

There was a large attendance at the February Neighborhood Night on Tuesday, the entertainment consisting of some excellent whistling by Mr. Charles C. Gorst, the Bird Man, accompanied by an interesting talk on birds and their songs. The hostess was Mrs. Charles L. Pearson, and the ladies who poured were Mrs. Harry Lutz, Mrs. J. D. Crawford, Mrs. George M. Nash, and Mrs. Elmer L. Gibbs. Dancing and bowling were enjoyed after refreshments were served.

Next Thursday there will be a ladies' and gentlemen's bridge.

### RECEPTION

One of the social events of the past week, was the reception given by Mrs. Ralph C. Emery on Thursday afternoon from 4 until 7, at her residence on Arlington street, Newton.

The occasion was complimentary to Mrs. Daniel A. Richardson, who has recently come to live in Newton and about 100 guests were in attendance. The parlor and reception rooms were attractively decorated with roses, pinks, sweet peas, and jonquils, and on the tea-table, large baskets of sweet peas, with pink ribbon-bows, were pleasingly arranged.

Mrs. Charles Bowers poured and the servers included the Misses Elizabeth Bartlett, Dorothy Simpson, and Betty Beason. Miss Dorothy Clark served frappe, and was assisted by the Misses Dorothy Emery, Margaret Pierce and Trixie Mooney.

Mrs. Emery wore white lace over pale blue silk embroidered with gold, and Mrs. Richardson was gowned in white lace.

### "THE LIFE AFTER DEATH"

A lecture on "The Spiritual World" was delivered by Rev. William F. Wunsch, of Roxbury, at the Church of the New Jerusalem last Sunday evening. He said:—

"The Scriptures throughout constantly imply the existence of an unseen world. In innumerable instances of Old and New Testament the fact of another realm of human life is involved. To the question, 'Where is the spiritual world?' the Scriptures would answer, 'Here.' It is an inner and contemporary world. It pervades this, as the soul, for instance, does the body. There is no interval of time or space between the two worlds, but a difference of consciousness."

"The experience of John of Patmos, when he was 'in the spirit', would have us believe that in that state man is an organized body with its own faculties of sense, to which the other world has evident form and reality and outward existence."

"If here, and if we are unconsciously in it, it requires but the activity of inner organs of sense which all men have, to apprehend it, the spiritual world can be matter of experience and observation, given sufficient occasion. The occasion was given in Swedenborg's mission of disclosing to men the spiritual or inner sense of the Bible, a part of the knowledge of which is a knowledge of the proper world of spiritual life. Intramitted he was into that world in about his fifty-seventh year, when he brought to bear on his task ripe and highly trained powers of observation and analysis from his scientific career. He ever regarded his experience as a Divine mercy. He held his privilege high and sacred. He never exploited his arcane ability. For nearly a generation he enjoyed this premature gift of the other-world consciousness. It was no solitary experience; others have had it in degree. It was not abnormal; it is what many have enjoyed in snatches here, and what all men experience upon death. In length and purpose it undoubtedly was unique. What Swedenborg has set down about the other world is the result of disciplined and Divinely guided observation of fact and law. It is knowledge based upon experience and observation. Such a book as 'Heaven and Hell' is not metaphysical speculation; as its subtitle indicates, it is testimony to things heard and seen."

Other life which the world has thus gained, contravenes nothing that the Scriptures say on the subject. Each confirms the other. The kingdom of God is within us, according to the Scriptures. It follows that the perversion of this kingdom, or hell, is first of all an inner life, likewise. In consonance with this, the new body of information we have through Swedenborg discloses an objective spiritual world which, in all its parts and features, is just the outward expression of the state of life there. The final word of human life is first an internal state, and then an external condition and place. There we are not set down indifferently in circumstances and surroundings at odds with our aims and desires, or in a fixed, inert outer world. We are in a world of living and imperishable substance, which affords the soul an environment of its own making, in its own shape and of its own quality. The whole environment is responsive to the life of those there, and formed by it. Going out of this world scarcely any man is a consistent spiritual life. Moral and unselfish purpose may rule in him, yet not without an admixture of false aims and wrong habits; immoral and unspiritual purpose may govern him, yet not without the employment of seeming virtues and truth. This inconsistent life has its own world, a great middle world, between heaven and hell, into which men first come, and where their lives are reduced to spiritual consistency, a process called the judgment, and meant by the Scripture in the declaration, 'Unto every one that hath shall be given, and he shall have abundance; but from him that hath not shall be taken away even that which he seemeth to have.' Reduced to consistency with his innermost purpose in life, the man passes from the middle world into either heaven or hell. If into the latter, he does so because he clings to the sole life that he has, and desires to live it in its own illusive and horrid yet to him congenial environment. If into heaven, he comes into a world that is the expression in every part and feature of love to God and love to man. All its people were once men and women in the world. With them he pursues relations, and engages with them in all the human activities to which love ever has inspired mankind. It is a world of eternal progress into more abundant and vigorous life. It is the goal and height of human activity. Its glory uncovered, it restores to those who walk in darkness the sure vision of eternal life. Its destiny is to inspire the race with a very definite spiritual purpose."

"Essentially the new information is revelation. Belief in it will be determined by belief in the normalness and fact of such revelation. Can we have such a genuine confidence in Providence as to trust that when human enquiry has come to beat so urgently upon these questions, the Lord of truth satisfies the soul? In its whole significance, and especially as a factor in the regeneration of life here, the other world will surely never be a revealed fact except to the religious spirit."

### "IT PAYS TO ADVERTISE"

R. O. Eastman of "Kellogg's Corn Flakes" says:

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"Advertising is selling. The test of it is the selling of the goods. If it doesn't sell the goods it isn't advertising. It is a dead wire. The current has been grounded or the circuit broken. The message has failed to carry through."

"Just as the electrical engineer must know broken circuits when they occur and how to mend them, so also the sales engineer must know his market and the thousands of conditions which apply to the science of advertising."

"Advertising is no longer a sinecure for the man who can write a pretty piece of copy and get it printed. A real advertising engineer must know how to produce results—to get sales."

"The first ascension to successful advertising is a product of thorough and through merit—that will absolutely satisfy the buyer. For the most frantic efforts of the producer will not avail to stem the tide of public disapproval."

"If the product is not good, if it will not live up to the label which, the advertising claims, is a surety of its quality, the very instrument with which he attempts to achieve success will be turned against the advertiser. This sort of publicity will merely teach the public what to shun."

"The successful advertiser must have an honest business. The manufacturer who places his brand upon his goods and advertises that brand has pledged himself by that act to play fair with the public—to give the consumer a worthy uniform product at a fair price."

"Advertising does not make customers—it discovers them. There are always men or women who want a good article, the problem is to take it to them. The store distributes a product to the comparatively few that enter it. The salesman, going further, take it to more stores and more people. But advertising is the one force that can reach out over the entire country and bring together the maker of good goods and the man who wants to buy them."

### NEWTON POSTER CAMPAIGN

The Newton Poster Campaign against Alcoholism is assuming shape and development, much as a snow-ball in the hands of lively youngsters, becomes a snow-man. The idea flies from mind to mind, gathering unto itself the best and most original of each, so that the final culmination on Feb. 12, Lincoln's birthday, will be the blending of the energy, originality and hard work of hundreds of workers. 400 posters have been sold and there is a constant demand for more. Every day new endorsements and promises of co-operation come in. The thoughtful citizens of Newton realize that just here is an opportunity to put in quiet, effective work against the evil which is such a constant factor in all social work, and the presence of which hampers so greatly the development and progress of the race.

The recently-issued report of the Commission on Drunkenness of which our Mayor, Mr. Edwin O. Childs, was a member, especially recommends educational work along the lines of posters, and also suggests that the state make it a duty of cities and towns to post their various centres.

Mayor Edwin O. Childs in a recent letter on the subject, stated, "I believe in the Poster Campaign thoroughly. I believe it is good business and good advertising, and will do everything in my power to see that Newton is municipally posted." Newton thus becomes the fourth city to be municipally posted, the others being Cambridge, Pittsburg and Quincy.

Remember the date, Feb. 12. Secure your posters from the Y. M. C. A. and arrange for places to post them beforehand. Place them on Feb. 12 in all parts of the Newtons and leave them up at least a week, longer when possible.

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## POSTER CAMPAIGN

Against Alcohol Began Yesterday Over the City

In spite of the bitterly cold weather on February 12 the different centres in the Newtons blossomed but bravely with posters against Alcoholism, and more will be placed when the weather moderates. Through the kindness of a business man, a vacant store on Nonantum Square was secured for the day, where members of the Poster committee met, made an extensive exhibit of the different posters gotten out by the committee, and arranged for flying trips by different ones through the Newtons, to supplement the posting already done. The use of the auto also was the gift of a business man.

Through the kindness of two other men, the Newton cars will be posted fore and aft, and as these cars touch other towns, the results will be spread to other communities.

To those who may say that this method of arousing public sentiment is too spectacular, the committee begs to say that Poster Day is to be made simply the beginning of a changing, but permanent education along the lines alcoholism. The posters in the High Schools and bulletin boards will be frequently changed. High school boys and girls will write themes on Alcohol, the best ones of which will be made into posters, published in the Newton papers and used for future educational work.

In all other countries where this continuous education has been given, the consumption of alcohol has very materially decreased. Logically, the same result must follow in this country.

A group of interested men, teamsters, drivers, etc., stood almost continually before the store window, in which were displayed the posters, and read:

"Who is the first man to be laid off, and the last man to be taken on? The man who drinks."

"\$1.00 in, \$2.00 out. For every \$1.00 that the state has received in 1912 from liquor licenses, it paid out over \$2.00 in caring for the criminals, paupers and insane brought to our institutions through drink. When you hear about revenue from liquor, think this over."

Poster day has come and gone, but the education along alcohol lines in this country has just begun.

Poster Committee.

The Newton poster campaign is conducted under the leadership of Mrs. William Tilton, chairman of the Boston Poster Committee, and Mrs. W. E. Birdsell, chairman of the Newton Poster Committee, seconded by Mrs. Francis Newhall of West Newton, Mrs. L. S. Drake of Newton, Rev. John F. Grant of Newtonville, Mr. G. M. Fiske, Mrs. G. W. St. Amant and Miss Pelouet of Auburndale, Mrs. L. M. Marshall of Newton Highlands, Mrs. Roy T. Wells, Mrs. Varney and Rev. M. A. Levy of Newton Centre.

It Took Time.

"Your sister's a long time about making her appearance," suggested the caller. "Well," said the little brother, "she'd be a sight if she came down without making it."

## POP CONCERT

Newton Centre People Have An Enjoyable Evening

The annual entertainment of the Newton Centre Improvement Association is always one of the most important features of the winter season in this city and the pop concert and dance given in Bray Hall, Wednesday night, maintained the high standard which has always been the aim of this Association. The hall was attractively decorated in pale blue and pink bunting tastefully arranged with the national colors on and about the stage. Over five hundred persons were present and enjoyed an excellent program of music furnished by the Ninth Regiment Orchestra, while cake, candy, ice cream and cigars were sold and served by the young ladies and young men of the village.

The band concert was followed by some graceful exhibition dancing, the committee arranging a program so as to contrast the old with the new. Miss Harrington gave a group of ball room dances of the sixteenth and seventeenth centuries and was followed by the always graceful and stately minuet of the eighteenth century, given by the Misses Agnes Valentine, Josephine Sage, Mabel Mason, Helen Rugg, Bertha Whitney and Doris Burbeck and Messrs. A. C. Burnham, Jr., Joseph Holden, Lomax Clark, Robert Kelsey, Albert Spear and William Snow, wearing the silk and satin costumes of that period. The new dances included the Argentine tango by Miss Harrington and Mr. Harold O. Whitney, the Castle walk and one step by Miss Elsie Harrington and Mr. Washburn, the Hesitation waltz by Miss Harrington and Mr. Merriew and the Mexique by Miss Elsie Harrington and Mr. Whitney.

Mr. Waldron H. Rand, Jr. was in charge of the stage and interpolated songs by Mr. Harrington, and by a group of Amherst graduates, and led the audience in singing many popular songs. Dancing followed until midnight.

The affair was in charge of a committee, with Dr. George L. West, president of the Association, as chairman, William H. Rice, C. Faulkner Kendall, S. Harold Greene and Irving C. Paul, hall and decorations. Mrs. Edwin H. Kiddle, Mrs. Wm. E. Carleton, Mrs. Charles Edwards, Mrs. John McKee, Mrs. Everett W. English, Mrs. Henry L. Johnson and Mrs. Wm. D. Rising, refreshments. Mrs. W. H. Rice, Mrs. A. E. Alvord, Mrs. G. C. Ewing, Mrs. C. E. Kelsey, Mrs. C. L. Smith, Mrs. F. H. Stewart, Mrs. A. D. Dowd, Mrs. G. W. Hopkins, Mrs. C. A. Savin, Mrs. J. C. Smith, Mrs. S. W. Wilder and Miss Risteen, candy table. E. B. Bishop, J. R. Stuart, Jr., G. F. Spaulding, Burton Payne Gray, Dr. E. A. Andrews, F. Gasbarri, A. E. Alvord and M. S. Buckley, drinks and cigars. S. Porter and Sam T. Emery, program and publicity. A. L. Harwood, Jr. and G. W. Pratt, tickets. A. C. Burnham, A. W. Rayner, S. Hardy Mitchell, W. H. Rand, Jr., special features. Mr. Edgar Burkhardt was captain of waiters and the Misses Ruth Chapin, Louise Gerhard, Eleanor Dowd, Marjorie Keith and Dorothy Weston were the candy girls.

## NEWTON BOARD OF TRADE

Mr. John J. Martin Made Interesting and Valuable Address

The February meeting of the Newton Board of Trade was held in Odd Fellows' hall, Newtonville, on last Monday evening and there was a good attendance. Mr. C. W. Sanderson presided in the absence of President Hubbard and Mr. John T. Martin, president of the Mass. Real Estate Exchange, was the principal speaker.

Mr. Martin described some of the work and general purposes of the Exchange, and expressed his satisfaction that Newton is to have a widespread business organization that can be counted upon to co-operate along general lines of municipal and civic development.

The speaker thought it the duty of every community at least once in ten years to take account of stock for the purpose of finding out just where it stands in the matter of development. Massachusetts, and particularly Boston, has been consistent and logical in its growth. This has never been a "boom" section.

Every municipality within twenty miles of Boston should get busy and utilize its latest resources. Mr. Martin said the Exchange is not in favor of any further annexations to Boston. Proper at this time, but that it does believe the work of our Park System, our Sewerage Department, our Police and Fire Departments within twenty miles of Boston should be carried out in a harmonious and comprehensive manner under one general plan.

He congratulated Newton upon its splendid growth as a residential section. On this point he said: "Within your eighteen square miles of territory you have a valuation of \$83,000,000. Almost three times the valuation of Waltham and almost as much as the entire valuation of Lynn, an industrial center with a population of 90,000. Haverhill, another industrial center, with practically the same population as yours has less than \$40,000,000 valuation."

Mr. Martin called attention to the remarkably steady increase in both the population and valuation of Newton during the past twenty years. This growth from a population of 27,000 and a valuation of \$47,000,000 in 1895 to a population of 41,000 and a valuation of \$83,000,000 in 1913, the speaker attributed to the development of Newton as a city of homes and he predicted that Newton's greatest prosperity would lie in a continued development along this line. Mr. Martin called attention to the fact that owing to the volume of Newton's high-class residential property and the substantial total of its valuation list the city had been able to remain in the forefront of Highway and Sewerage construction while at the same time its tax rate has been comparatively low.

Mr. Martin said that a high valuation and a low tax rate are a great help to the building industry and make a community exceedingly attractive to the prospective resident investor. He thought that there is still ample opportunity for the development of additional residential estates in Newton in arrears of from five to twenty acre lots.

With reference to strictly industrial enterprise the speaker said, "You have

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## D. R.

Sarah Hull Chapter Holds Interesting Meeting At Newton Club

The Sarah Hull Chapter, D. R., held its February meeting on Monday the ninth, in the Newton Club House, Newtonville, at 2.30 P. M.

A most interesting program entertained the Chapter, under the direction of Mrs. Wm. Bliss, chairman of the committee.

It consisted of a piano solo by Miss Du Bell, two songs with encores by Mrs. Bertha Carter Flint, contralto, and one by Mrs. Ralph Emery, soprano, who sang delightfully, but refused to appear again. Miss Grace Natalie Widmer amused greatly by her clever original monologues and a well rendered piece of Scotch dialect. Mrs. George Owen accompanied the songs. After the singing of "America," all adjourned to the refreshment room.

The committee consisted of Mrs. Amos F. Adams, Mrs. Wm. H. Bliss, Mrs. A. E. Davidson, Mrs. Frank Riddle, Mrs. Freelan O. Stanley, Mrs. George H. Wright.

## LENTEN LECTURES

An interesting series of lectures will be delivered in the Congregational Church, West Newton, at 7.45, during the successive Friday evenings in Lent.

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God, by Rev. George T. Smart, D. D., Newton Highlands, Feb. 27.

Jesus, by Rev. Ambrose W. Vernon, D. D., Brookline, March 6.

The Bible, by Rev. Willis H. Butler, Boston, March 13.

The Christian Life, by Rev. James A. Richards, Boston, March 20.

The Church, by Rev. J. Edgar Park, West Newton, Mar. 27.

The Life Everlasting, by Rev. Geo. A. Gordon, D. D., Boston, April 3.

All are welcome to attend.

## LINCOLN DAY

Charles Ward Post, G. A. R., will observe a Lincoln Night on Feb. 19, 8 P. M. in Temple hall, Newtonville. The public are invited.

Rev. H. M. Penniman of Berea, Ky., will deliver an address on "The Two Civilizations of America in Connection with the Cabin Life of Abraham Lincoln's Kins."

Mr. Penniman is assistant president of Berea College, and knows the people of the North and South. We are assured of a brilliant, patriotic, instructive, and historical address.

## 50 PERCENT INCREASE

Go To Church Sunday Observed This Week In Newton

Go to Church Sunday was generally observed in this city on Feb. 8th, all the Protestant churches, with the exception of those at Waban joining in the movement. Unofficial figures indicate that over 7700 persons attended church, an increase of about fifty per cent. over the normal attendance.

The Waban churches will observe next Sunday as Go to Church Sunday in that village.

An idea of the attendance at the several churches can be gathered from the following table.

Church	Ave. Sun.
Grace Episcopal	250 308
Elliot Congregational	450 680
Channing Unitarian	150 215
Trinity Episcopal	150 180
Immanuel Baptist	125 288
First Baptist	250 300
Newton Methodist	100 170
St. Paul's Episcopal	150 188
North Congregational	60 150
New Centre Congregational	425 707
Central Congregational	400 415
New Highlands Congregational	150 300
Newtonville Methodist	175 300
Church of the Redeemer	150 170
St. John's Episcopal	175 210
Newton Centre M. E.	150 180
Newtonville Universalist	100 150
Newton Centre Unitarian	125 200
Church of the New Jerusalem	125 150
Second Baptist	50 75
Second Congregational	350 400
Newton Highlands Baptist	50 78
New West Unitarian	200 300
Lincoln Park Baptist	125 160
Myrtle Baptist	60 102
Auburndale Congregational	300 451
Centenary Meth. Episcopal	150 250
Church of the Messiah	150 200
St. Mary's Episcopal	70 122

At the Christian Science Church in Players' Hall no effort was made to bring out a special attendance, but the general interest in the subject may have added some numbers. The maximum and the normal Sunday attendance very closely approximate, we are told. In the list in a Boston paper giving the normal attendance of the various Newton church, only four Protestant churches are said to exceed the Christian Science Church in regular attendance.

—GO TO CHURCH NEXT SUNDAY.

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## D. A. R.

Lucy Jackson Chapter Meets At the Brae Burn Country Club

The February meeting of the Lucy Jackson Chapter, D. A. R., of Newton, was held on the afternoon of the 9th, at the Brae-Burn Club House. The Regent, Mrs. C. D. Meserve, presided and there was a large attendance.

The report of the previous meeting was read by the secretary, Mrs. H. V. Jones, and approved. Mrs. Meserve read the By-laws relating to the nomination of delegates and alternates to the Congress to be held in April in Washington, D. C., and the following were nominated:

Mrs. Charles D. Meserve, Mrs. Frederick J. Fessenden as delegates. Mrs. Wm. H. Lucas, Mrs. J. W. Rice, Mrs. Gardner I. Jones, Mrs. George H. Talbot, Mrs. Henry V. Jones, Mrs. Joseph E. Lincoln, Mrs. Edwin T. Feavine, Mr. Albert C. Walworth, Mrs. Dexter R. Puffer, Mrs. Benjamin W. Hackett, as alternates.

Miss Keach accompanied by Mrs. Ferrin, sang a group of songs most acceptably, responding graciously to an enthusiastic encore.

Mrs. Meserve then introduced Miss Helen Merchant of Boston, who gave a most delightful informal talk on "Old Gloucester," from its very beginning. Interspersing with the history interesting tales of old wives, methods of old time school masters and matrons, of the hardships borne by the early settlers, all told in a charming manner, holding the interest of all to the end.

A social hour followed, when delicious refreshments were served by the hostesses, Mrs. Thomas M. Whilden, Mrs. Arthur C. Walworth, Mrs. Henry L. Whittlesey, Mrs. Samuel G. Webber and the Misses Webber.

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## ANNUAL MEETING

Newton Trust Company Re-elects Old Board of Directors With One Exception

The annual meeting of the stockholders of the Newton Trust Company was held at the banking rooms at Newton Centre, Wednesday afternoon, February 11th, at 4 o'clock. Mr. James H. Hustis, now President of the New York, New Haven & Hartford Railroad, and as a result being obliged to reside in New Haven, was at his urgent request dropped from membership and Mr. Norman H. George of 64 Gray Cliff road, Newton Centre, a member of the firm of Messrs. Chase & Sanborn, was added to the Board.

The stockholders passed a vote authorizing the Board of Directors to enter the Federal Reserve Association, to be established under the provisions of the recent Federal Reserve Act, whenever in their opinion it was deemed advisable to do so.

Messrs. Henry H. Kendall, Charles E. Kelsey and Albert L. Scott were re-elected a committee on examinations and audits of the bank in behalf of the stockholders.

The year's business was reviewed and the continued growth of the bank not only in average deposits, but in total number of accounts was regarded most substantial and encouraging, the total deposits of the Trust Company having reached the \$3,000,000 mark for the first time during the past month. This is particularly interesting in view of the fact that the Newton Centre Trust Company was organized and received its charter on March 22, 1894, or just about twenty years ago.

Following is a list of the officers and directors: President, Dwight Chester; Vice Presidents, Edward H. Mason, Francis Murdoch; Treasurer, Frank L. Richardson; Secretary, James B. Melcher; Directors, Dwight Chester, William F. Bacon, Albion R. Clapp, Norman H. George, Frank J. Hale, Sydney Harwood, George Hutchinson, Hon. Seward W. Jones, Edward H. Mason, Francis Murdoch, James L. Richards, and Hon. G. Fred Simpson; Examining Committee, Henry H. Kendall, Charles E. Kelsey, and Albert L. Scott.

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## EDITORIAL

The Poster Campaign against Al-  
cohol, which was inaugurated yester-  
day in this city may do some good,  
and has my best wishes for the great-  
est success. I cannot but feel, how-  
ever, that the only real progress,  
which can ever be made in this direc-  
tion, must come thru educating the  
children as to the injurious effects of  
alcohol. Spectacular methods of  
bringing the facts to the attention of  
our citizens do not last and usually  
leave the impression that those who  
advocate them are cranks and rad-  
icals. I believe that great strides have  
been made in the right direction dur-  
ing the past twenty-five years in this  
city and that a far larger proportion  
of our people do not use liquor, than  
ever before.

As a young man in this city I can  
well remember that drunken men  
were no uncommon sight in Newton.  
Now an intoxicated person is rarely  
seen. Twenty-five years ago, young  
men who refused to take a drink, were  
laughed and jeered at. Today, the  
hosts of young men, who do not in-  
dulge in liquor, are respected and  
honored for their attitude on this  
matter.

Let us continue to educate the  
young in this direction, and by refus-  
ing to become intolerant or bigoted on  
the subject, prove that temperance is  
a virtue in more ways than on the  
matter of drink.

The Go-To-Church Sunday in New-  
ton was properly observed, if the fig-  
ures obtained are anywhere near ac-  
curate. While the increase over the  
average is not so great as in some of  
the surrounding cities and towns, it  
was sufficient to make the movement  
well worth while.

There are two methods of account-  
ing for the fact that the increase in  
Newton was only about 50 per cent.  
of the average attendance, while that  
of other places was from 100 to 150  
per cent. The first is that our people  
were not so much interested, and the  
second, that the normal church attend-  
ance is larger here than elsewhere and  
that the increase, in consequence  
could not be proportionately greater.  
The latter explanation will probably  
be accepted in this city, and the tra-  
gey of our envious neighbors, if we have  
any.

Now that the ice has been broken in  
this direction, let us adopt the slogan  
"Go To Church Next Sunday."

Mr. Waters remarks at the recent  
legislative hearing on the methods of  
electing aldermen in Newton, to the  
effect that it was "the ward aldermen  
who did all the work." City Hall is  
most interesting and somewhat amus-  
ing. Mr. Waters also claimed that  
the average citizen was ignorant of the  
names of the various aldermen. In  
view of Mr. Waters' first statement  
it is possible that there is equal, if not  
a greater ignorance, as to the work  
done by the aldermen.

## SCHOOLS CLOSED

On account of the severe cold yester-  
day and the failure of the heating  
apparatus to work properly, it was  
necessary to close the Eliot School at  
Nonantum, a large part of the Stearns  
School in the same locality, the kin-  
dergarten in the Adams School, the  
Old Clafin School at Newtonville, and  
about half the Wolcott School at Wa-  
ban, besides closing one or two rooms  
in some of the other school buildings.  
The thermometer registered from 10  
to 16 degrees below zero in this city.

## Mr. Wilkerson on the Wilson Anti-Trust Program

Trenchant critique of the  
Administration Bill by the  
former United States Attorney  
General.

## pening Morgan's Corner in ter-pieces

The Metropolitan Museum  
at last uncorks an art collec-  
tion of the scope of the Steel  
Trust.

## Boston

## Transcript

Saturday, Feb. 14, 1914

## Y. M. C. A. NOTES

As has been previously announced  
a memorial service to Frank A. Day  
in connection with the dedication of  
the building will be held on Feb. 13th.  
Ex-Mayor George Hutchinson will  
give the memorial address and a tab-  
let in memory of Mr. Day will be un-  
veiled. The lobby after the dedica-  
tory exercises. The public is invited  
to attend.

In addition to the memorial address  
by ex-Mayor Hutchinson, the program  
includes remarks by Mayor Edwin O.  
Childs, reading of the scriptures by  
Rev. H. Grant Person of Eliot Church,  
and a dedicatory prayer by Rev. Lau-  
rens MacLure of Grace Church.

Mr. Sayford will meet the members  
of the Fellowship Club on Monday  
evening, Feb. 16th.

Mayor E. O. Childs will be the  
speaker next Sunday afternoon at the  
Association.

Mr. George Sherwood Eddy, a  
World Figure in Christian Leadership,  
to speak at Methodist Church Friday  
evening, Feb. 20th.

Mr. George Sherwood Eddy, now a  
world figure in Christian leadership,  
arrived at Yale in 1891 in the class  
containing the noted group who went  
to foreign lands at that time, among  
them Horace Pitkin, martyred in Chi-  
na by the Boxers. After finishing his  
theological course in Union and  
Princeton, Mr. Eddy went to India in  
1896 at his own charges and has con-  
tinued at work on that base.

After fifteen years of work among  
the students of the Indian Empire, he  
was called to be Secretary for Asia by  
the International Committee of Young  
Men's Christian Associations. Three  
years of service in this capacity  
among the young men, especially the  
government students of India, China,  
Korea, Japan and the Near East have  
been characterized by the brilliance,  
energy, judgment and devotion so sin-  
gularly combined in this young Chris-  
tian statesman.

Mr. Eddy was engaged with Dr.  
John R. Mott in conducting meetings  
for students throughout Asia during  
the last year. The student audiences  
averaged in Japan 800 a night, in In-  
dia 1,000 a night, in China 2,000 a  
night in the fourteen cities of that  
great Republic. In the last two cities  
visited the interest rose to such a  
point that the attendance averaged  
5,000 a day. The first 1000 enquirers  
among the government students and  
influential classes were baptized or  
received into the churches on the spot  
during the first six months after the  
close of the meetings, and some  
thousands of others enrolled in Bible  
Classes to prepare them for this im-  
portant step. The government of Chi-  
na opened its colleges in the city of  
Peking and arranged Mr. Eddy's meet-  
ings in the capital city. He visited  
Fochow at the invitation of the gov-  
ernment presidents of the government  
colleges there; the parliament in that  
city adjourned and invited him to ad-  
dress the members, one of whom was  
his interpreter. Mr. Eddy is soon to  
return to his work in China and the  
Far East.

While Mr. Eddy was in China he was  
accompanied on part of his journey by  
Mr. J. H. Geldart, the representative  
of the Newton Young Men's Christian  
Association in the Far East.

Everybody is invited to hear Mr. Eddy  
speak at the Methodist Church at  
7.45 on Friday, Feb. 20th.

The Basketball team of the Newton  
Y. M. C. A. has virtually won the  
championship of the Greater Boston  
Y. M. C. A. with its victory Wednesday  
night over Brockton. The game was  
played before the greatest crowd of  
the season and was hard fought from  
start to finish. Newton started the  
scoring and ended the first half with  
the score in their favor, 10 to 3. In  
the second half Brockton came back  
strong and tied the score and pro-  
ceeded until they broke away and caged  
several baskets, which gave the New-  
ton boys a good lead. After this rally  
the visitors had no chance to over-  
come the lead and went down to de-  
feat for the second time of the season.

While the first team won the second  
team went down to defeat. The second  
team was greatly handicapped by the  
absence of Graveson, the speedy right  
forward. He has been out of the game  
for several weeks on account of a bad  
leg. Hyatt and Viles put up a good  
game and gave a good exhibition of  
close basketball ball. The score was  
close and was only decided in the last  
two minutes of play when the whistle  
sounded the score stood 24 to 10.

It has only been through the clean  
playing of the local teams that they  
have been able to win consistently.  
Their real strength is only tried when  
they stack up against such teams as  
Quincy and Brockton, but the best  
game of the season will be next Wed-  
nesday night, when the Newton Y. M.  
C. A. will meet the champions of the  
western part of the State. This will  
be called the State championship  
game and much interest is now cen-  
tered on this event.

While the first team will be playing  
for the state championship, the second  
team will be playing Company C. of  
Newton. This game will be of equal  
interest in that Wood and Bar-  
rows, who were formerly on the Y.  
M. C. A. team will play. Also Decker,  
who played for several seasons on the  
second team.

## Brockton Beaten on Track

This has been a season of victories  
over the Brockton Y. M. C. A., while  
the Basketball team has defeated them  
twice and the Athletic team went  
down and defeated their team, last  
Tuesday night, by the score of 25 to  
20. This makes the second victory for  
the Athletic team this season.

Results:  
15 yd. Dash: 1st, Crowell, B.; 2nd,  
Hawkesworth, B.; 3rd, Chamberlain,  
N. Time 2-58.  
120 yd. Shot Put: 1st, Roberts, N., 41  
ft. 2 in.; 2nd, White, B.; 3rd, Jaquith,  
N.  
8 Potato Race: 1st, Chamberlain,  
N.; 2nd, Kelleher, B.; 3rd, Teulon, N.  
3 Broad Jumps: 1st, Hines, N., 30 ft.  
3-4 in.; 2nd, Tilton, B.; 3rd, Cham-  
berlain, N.  
R. H. Jump: 1st, Roberts, N., and  
Tilton, B. 5 ft. 5 in., tied for first place,  
3rd, Chisholm, B.

Advertise in The Graphic

## KEEPS WATCH OVER SILVER

Mrs. Carnegie a Zealous Guardian of  
Valuable Tableware of the  
Household.

I met an old friend this week who  
had just come down from Skibo castle,  
where she had been staying with the  
Carnegies, writes a London correspon-  
dent of the Kansas City Star.  
"They are the kindest people in the  
world to visit," she said. "There  
was only one thing I did not like  
there, that was the porridge. It seems  
to be an affront to the family if you  
don't eat your porridge off the lovely  
silver platter on which it is served. I  
did so want to put one of these plat-  
ters in my pocket," she added. "They  
were genuine Queen Anne."

"The old silver at the castle is Mrs.  
Carnegie's fetish. She is quite crazy  
over it. About 9:30 in the evening she  
will slip out of the drawing room and  
steal down to the housekeeper's room  
to count it before it is locked in its  
special safe for the night. She is the  
most house proud chateleine in all the  
highlands, and that's saying a lot.  
The housekeeper has been with her  
for years, yet Mrs. Carnegie is not  
content to let her count these treas-  
ures. But probably it is just a labor  
of love and a joy to her to handle  
the rare old things."

There is no vestige of snobbery  
about the Carnegies; they don't pine  
a bit for the society of royalty or even  
titled folk, but they are anxious for  
the companionship of brainy individ-  
uals. Of late Andrew has taken to be-  
ing a raconteur and does it awfully  
well. He likes his friends to correct  
him if he repeats himself. It would be  
a blessing if other story tellers did  
likewise.

The gardens of Skibo are looking  
gorgeous just now, especially the old  
English garden which is a mass of  
flowers, with fruit trees around the  
walls, and cabbages to give it the  
true air of a century ago. The walls,  
like those of all self-respecting Eng-  
lish gardens, are mellow red brick,  
nearly covered with tinted foliage.  
Everybody knows there are no rain-  
bows in the world like those of Scot-  
land. When one appears in the sky  
at Skibo a bell rings and all the house  
party fly to the lawn to admire it.

## WITH CHOCOLATES AND TAFFY

James Squirmed Neatly Out of Sit-  
uation That Would Have Been  
Trying to Average Man.

The conversation turned to the pow-  
er of flattery at a recent historic so-  
cial session when Miss Billy Burke,  
the actress, was reminded of an inci-  
dent along that line.

Some time ago, said Miss Billy, a  
certain young man got rather neg-  
ligent in his courting duty, and it was  
not until after an absence of nearly a  
week that he finally presented himself  
at the home of his heart's desire.

"I wonder you came at all!" she  
petulantly exclaimed, not deigning to  
notice the five pounds of chocolates,  
and keeping to the piano stool where,  
there wasn't room for two. "Of course,  
you were called away on a business  
trip, and the wires all being down,  
you couldn't notify me."

"No dear," he answered, in his ten-  
derest tones. "I haven't been away.  
I have been sick with dyspepsia, and  
the doctor told me not to come."

"What!" she cried in scornful  
amazement. "You had dyspepsia and  
the doctor told you not to come because  
of that?"

"It amounted to the same thing,  
dear," he cooingly responded. "He  
told me to keep away from all  
sweets."

## Needed a Change.

Mrs. Mason came from her city  
home to spend a few weeks in the  
country town where she had lived  
when a girl. One morning, while out  
for a walk, she met a man who in  
former days had been a school-mate,  
and stopped for a chat.

"Why, Charlie," she said, "your fa-  
ther must be getting well on in years."

"Yes," replied the man, "he's close  
on to eighty-nine."

"And does he enjoy good health?"

Inquired the woman.

"No," said the man, "he hasn't been  
right for some time."

"What seems to be the trouble with  
him?" she asked.

"Well, I dunno," was the answer.

"I guess farmin' don't agree with him  
any more."

## According to Statistics.

In London they tell of a man with a  
serious disease of the throat, who con-  
sulted a specialist. The surgeon re-  
commended the removal of the larynx,  
an operation which the patient feared  
might prove dangerous.

The surgeon, however, smiled reas-  
uringly, and said:

"Oh, no! You are quite sure to re-  
cover."

"But," persisted the patient. "I un-  
derstand that this sort of operation is  
very serious indeed."

"My reason," continued the surgeon,  
"for saying that you are sure to re-  
cover is this: The mortality is nine-  
teen out of twenty, and I've had nine-  
teen deaths already."

## Greatest Chicken Farm.

Meeches farm, Poole, England, is  
said to be the greatest chicken farm  
in the world. Experiments made there  
in the forcing of the growth of chick-  
ens by electrical influences are re-  
ported as showing remarkable results.

In five weeks electrically treated  
chickens have attained the normal  
weight of chickens three months old.  
The experiments may have possible  
corollaries in the treatment of sub-  
normal children.—The Outlook.

## SOME REMARKS ON INCOMES

Pertinent Just Now When the Subject  
Is a Matter of General  
Discussion.

Incomes are now being taxed. It is,  
therefore, desirable that something  
should be known about them. An in-  
come is anything which you cannot  
live upon expressed in terms of law-  
ful money. Lawful money is anything  
which will be accepted by the mem-  
bers of a state legislature, or a police  
captain, or your wife. Incomes were  
created for two purposes; to lie about  
and to live beyond. Many people who  
will not have to pay any are complain-  
ing to their friends and neighbors  
about the way they are oppressed by  
the income tax. This is one of those  
natural phenomena which no scientist  
has been able to explain.

Incomes vary in size according to  
how many people have worked for you  
in the past or are working for you at  
present. No income is without honor  
somewhere, except in the family it is  
vainly attempting to support. Here it  
is generally despised and looked down  
upon.

An income tax is an effort on the  
part of the government to make you  
feel that you are wealthy. Also to  
support the government in its main  
business in life, namely, living beyond  
its income.

The government, which receives a  
larger income than any one else,  
should be taxed upon it. The pro-  
ceeds might go toward relieving mil-  
lions in distress.

Every income is known by the com-  
pany it keeps.—Life.

## PROVED HE WAS ELIGIBLE

Effective Demonstration Convinced  
Jayhawker That He Had a Val-  
uable Recruit.

Robert Thorpe, an old Missouri stage  
driver, who recently died in Texas,  
used to tell a story of how Anderson,  
the Jayhawker, got one of his recruits.  
The Anderson boys held up Thorpe's  
stage near Glasgow one day. Among  
the passengers was a raw-boned young  
Missourian who looked about as tough  
as the Jayhawkers themselves.

"Give me yer valables," Anderson  
demanded of the youth as he went  
down the line.

"Ain't got none," answered the  
young squirrel hunter.

"Where you going?"

"To join Anderson's Jayhawkers."

"The rebel leader sized him up."

"Kin ye swim the Missouri river?"

he asked him.

"Reckon so," the young man an-  
swered.

"Could ye kill a man?"

"Reckon so."

Anderson stepped forward and spat  
in the youngster's face. The youth  
bounced at the Jayhawker like a cat,  
caught him full in the face with a right  
swing and went down on top of him,  
kicking and clawing.

The Jayhawkers pulled the young  
demon off and their leader got up.

"You belong," he said. "Boys, give  
him a hawse."

## Not a Nature Faker.

Lover, the zoo keeper, was feeding  
filleted plaice to a pair of robust young  
kingfishers.

"You can't give a kingfisher in cap-  
tivity its natural food," he said. "Its  
natural food is minnows, sunnies and  
sticklebacks. It eats these fish, when  
living its wild life in the woods, be-  
side the streams, without any diffi-  
culty, and like to eat such fish, you  
know, is yet eating so many papers  
of pins."

"How can it eat such bony fish? I  
wish to speak with all delicacy it  
throws up all the bones afterward.  
Yes, it throws up the bones after the  
meal in a little ball. Nature bones  
its fish for it."

"But a kingfisher in captivity gets  
little exercise and loses its ability to  
throw up bones. In captivity its nat-  
ural food would kill it."

"Nature, in a word, refuses to bone  
fish for captive kingfishers, and there-  
fore we, taking nature's place, feed  
the birds filleted sea food."

## For External Use Only.

Mrs. Wheeler, a fashionable society  
woman, sent for her physician one  
morning.

"Doctor," she said, "I want you to  
give me a prescription which will cure  
me of a most irritating trouble."

The doctor bowed and waited for  
her to go on.

"About eleven o'clock every eve-  
ning," continued Mrs. Wheeler, "I am  
overcome with a feeling of sleepi-  
ness, no matter where I am—at the  
opera, at a dinner party, wherever I  
may be, this dreadful sensation comes  
over me."

"Oh, I can give you a prescription  
that will prevent it from overcoming  
you ever again," said the doctor.

Mrs. Wheeler was radiant, but when  
she looked at the slip of paper the  
doctor gave her, her face clouded. He  
had written:

"Bed from ten at night till seven the  
next morning. Repeat dose once in  
twenty-four hours, whenever symp-  
toms recur."

## Ante Pocos.

Some painter, a victim of the censor-  
ship, is obviously responsible for this  
malicious story from Berlin, where,  
as in New York, the police are charged  
with the task of defending the public  
from the insidious immorality that  
lurks in art. Since the futurists have  
become so popular, the police dogs, he  
says, have proved quite unequal to  
the duty of hunting down the Impro-  
per pictures. Police pigs are therefore  
to be assigned to this service.—New  
York Evening Post.

## West Newton

### —GO TO CHURCH NEXT SUNDAY.

Miss Barbara Lamson is reported  
ill at her home on Temple street.

—Mr. and Mrs. Clifford R. Eddy have  
moved from Winthrop street to Regent  
street.

—Mrs. Henry H. Hunt of Webster  
street is entertaining friends from  
New York City.

—Mr. Percival S. Howe of Berkeley  
street is at The Royal Poinelana,  
Palm Beach, Florida.

—Mr. Edward D. Warner and family  
have moved from Watertown street to  
1599 Washington street.

—Mr. and Mrs. Henry B. Day of  
Chestnut street are spending the  
month at Camden, S. C.

—Miss Emily Clapp of the sopho-  
more class at Smith College, has been  
elected to the Alpha Society.

—The members of the North Gate  
Club gave a largely attended bridge  
and dance on Saturday evening.

—Mr. F. S. Snow of the Brae-  
Burn Country Club has plans ready for a  
\$15,000 residence on Fuller street.

—A branch of the Central Lending  
Library has been installed at the  
Bungalo Tea Room on Washington  
street.

—Mrs. Harry L. Ayer will entertain  
the members of the Score Club on  
Monday afternoon, at her residence  
on Prince street.

—The Misses Lovett will entertain  
the members of the Journey Club on  
Thursday afternoon, at their residence  
on Mt. Vernon street.

—Mrs. Gardner Irving Jones will  
entertain the members of the Game  
Club on Valentine afternoon at her re-  
sidence on Valentine street.

—Hon. George Hutchinson is a mem-  
ber of the committee of the Boston  
Chamber of Commerce, appointed to  
confer with the Boston Real Estate  
Exchange.

The West Newton Woman's Chris-  
tian Temperance Union will meet Mon-  
day evening at 7.45 o'clock, with Mrs.  
Susan Fogwill, 1487 Washington  
street. Dr. N. Louise Rand will speak  
on Anti-narcotics.

—The pupils of Miss Isabella W.  
Puffer gave a recital at her residence  
on Mt. Vernon street on Saturday af-  
ternoon. The program included piano  
solos and duets, and two trios for vi-  
olin, violinello and piano, were admi-  
rably rendered by Miss Vera Montague,  
violin, and Miss Fannie B. Puffer,  
cello.

## MINSTREL SHOW

The annual minstrel show given by  
the Men's club of St. Paul's Church,  
Newton Highlands, took place on Fri-  
day and Saturday evenings of last  
week and Lincoln hall was packed to  
the doors at each performance.

A feature of the program was the  
presence in a sketch of Francis Out-  
met, the National open golf champion,  
who, with Paul Tewksbury, his chum,  
and Harry Johnson, a former State  
tennis champion, produced "A Day at  
Woodland." Mr. Outmet proved a fine  
entertainer, and at the close of his  
sketch drove several balls bearing his  
autograph into the audience. This  
feature caused much amusement, men  
and women ducking to escape the  
balls, which later proved to be the  
kind used in ping-pong.

The minstrels were coached by Eliot  
H. Robinson. E. J. Savage was inter-  
preter and the end men were "Chick"  
Fox, formerly a star in the Bank Of-  
ficers' Shows, Charles Johnson, Ted  
Tewksbury, Harry Johnson, P. T. Low-  
ell and H. W. Colby.

The singing of "Friars of Orders  
Gray" by F. E. Fairchilds was a treat,  
and H. C. Shaw's monologue contained  
many local hits. W. H. Chapple sang  
"Rebecca of Sunnybrook Farm," as-  
sisted by Messrs. Quinlan, Cady and  
Savage and an echo quartet. Arthur  
Logan, Harold Collins and Preston S.  
Sampson presented an old English  
pantomime, entitled "Villikens and  
Dinah."

The chorus comprised E. T. Cady,  
W. H. Chapple, C. A. Clark, A. A. Cole.

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## Newton.

—GO TO CHURCH NEXT SUNDAY.  
—Mr. Sydney Harwood of Waverley avenue is spending a month at Ormond, Fla.

—Miss Margaret Bascom is ill with scarlet fever at her home on Washington street.

—Mrs. Joseph N. Palmer of Lombard street is entertaining Mrs. Washburn of New York.

—Mr. and Mrs. Macassey of Waltham street, West Newton, have moved into the Crawford house, 22 Elmwood street.

—Mr. and Mrs. Edward M. Hallett will give a dinner-dance tomorrow evening at their residence on Hyde avenue.

—Mrs. Charles J. Bailey of Surrey road has returned from a visit with her daughter, Mrs. Walter E. Hills of Chicago.

—Mr. and Mrs. Edwin M. Hallett have sent out cards for a supper and dance on Monday evening at their residence on Hyde avenue.

—Mrs. Meyler Bruner has sent out cards for an auction bridge on Tuesday afternoon at her residence on Waverley avenue.

—Miss Hannah Condon celebrated her birthday by entertaining a party of friends Sunday evening at her home on Fayette street.

—Mrs. Sydney Harwood and Miss Gretchen Harwood of Waverley avenue have returned from a week's stay in New York.

—Mrs. Asa Haley of Park street is recovering from her recent illness and was able to return last week from the Corey Hill Hospital.

—Mr. Will C. Macfarland, Municipal organist of the city of Portland, Me., will give an organ recital Wednesday evening at Eliot church.

—Mrs. John T. Alden entertained the members of the Cheerful Letter Committee last week, on Wednesday at her residence on Fairview street.

—Mr. and Mrs. Isaac S. Dillingham, Jr. entertained at a dinner before the dance at the Hunnewell Club, on Wednesday at their residence on Billings place.

—Professor Steiner of Grennell, Iowa, will preach on "Immigration" at the 5th meeting of the Christian Forum, which will be held Sunday evening at Eliot Church.

## NEWTONVILLE REAL ESTATE

Last week representatives of the Newtonville Improvement Association met a group of Boston and Newton real estate men to talk over the real estate situation in Newtonville. The meeting discussed various plans for co-operation in making Newtonville better known to those looking for a high class location. It was the unanimous opinion of the real estate men that one of the greatest aids they had ever seen for interesting purchasers in real estate was the booklet, "Some Newtonville Homes." This has been further supplemented by some large maps, and by important data regarding Newton water. Sub-committees were appointed, and arrangements made for a later meeting with reports, etc. The Association will welcome suggestions for any of its members or any citizen regarding anything that will help the best development of the place.

## Commonwealth of Massachusetts, Middlesex, ss.

PROBATE COURT.

To the heirs-at-law, next of kin and all other persons interested in the estate of Ann Sarah H. Avery late of Newton in said County, deceased. WHEREAS, a certain instrument purporting to be the last will and testament of said deceased has been presented to said Court, for Probate, by Janet C. Tetlow who prays that letters testamentary may be issued to her the executor therein named, as annexed C. Tetlow without giving a surety on her official bond.

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court, to be held at Cambridge in said County of Middlesex, on the third day of March A. D. 1914, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be granted.

And said petitioner is hereby directed to give public notice thereof, by publishing this citation once in each week, for three successive weeks, in the Newton Graphic a newspaper published in Newton the last publication to be one day, at least, before said Court, and by mailing post-paid, or delivering a copy of this citation to all known persons interested in the estate, seven days at least before said Court.

Witness, Charles J. McIntire, Esquire, First Judge of said Court, this sixth day of February in the year one thousand nine hundred and fourteen.

W. E. ROGERS, Register.

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## Upper Falls

—GO TO CHURCH NEXT SUNDAY.  
—The Camp Fire Girls will give a "Sketch" at Emerson Hall on Feb. 23.

—Friday, Feb. 20, the Upper Falls A. A. will hold their 2nd annual ball at Bray Hall, Newton Centre.

—Mr. Austin Lewis of Harrison, Me., is the guest of his brother, Mr. Oscar Lewis, of Crawford street.

—Mrs. James Wilde of Oak street is spending the week with her daughter, Mrs. Thomas A. Wry of Lynn.

—A whist party and dance will be given by Kensington Lodge, No. 500, O. S. G., at Foresters Hall, on Monday evening.

—The Standard Bearers were entertained at the home of Miss Muriel Locke of Boylston street on Thursday evening.

—The Ladies' Aid Society of the Methodist Church held a sewing meeting at the home of Mrs. C. A. Chadwick of Oak street on Thursday afternoon.

—The monthly meeting and supper of the Ways and Means Society was held on Thursday afternoon and evening in the vestry of the Second Baptist Church.

—Go-to-Church Sunday will be observed in this village on Feb. 15. There will be special music by the choir of the Methodist Episcopal Church and Baptist Church.

—Beginning Monday the Saco-Lowell Co. will run their shop on a 45-hours per week schedule, which will mean the shutting down on Friday at 5 P. M. instead of Saturday at 12 M.

—A party was given Mrs. Marshall by her daughter on Saturday evening at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Frank Littlehale of Cliff road. Games and graphophone selections were enjoyed and light refreshments served.

—A very successful Auction Bridge was held at Odd Fellows Hall, Newton Highlands, in aid of the Twombly House. Twenty tables were used.

—After the bridge, candy and salted nuts were for sale and tea was served. The committee in charge were Miss Sue Hills, Miss Helen Newell, Mrs. J. R. Phillips and Mrs. Philip Sweetser.

—A meeting of the Boy Scouts was held on Wednesday evening at the home of Mr. John A. Gould of Boylston street. Scout Commissioner Mr. E. R. Kimball of Newton Centre was present, also the Court of Honor, Mr. Woodworth of Newton, Mr. Upham of the Riverside Recreation Grounds, and Dr. May of Newton Centre. Fourteen boys passed the 2d class test with the exception of bandages and splint work, which will be taken at the community. There were over 200 present and after the speech his Honor received the members, assisted by Ex-Alderman Thomas J. Sullivan, Mark V. Crocker and the president of the Club, James P. Stanton. During the evening Lewis Tabaldi gave Hebrew impersonations, and songs were rendered by William Schofield, William Kerr, John Manning, William Maxwell, John Brogan and selections by the Upper Falls A. Quartet. Refreshments were served.

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## Newton.

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—Mr. and Mrs. George Angier of Waverley avenue are receiving congratulations on the birth of a son.

—Rev. Dr. C. H. Patton was a speaker at the conference on Evangelism held Tuesday at the Park street Church, Boston.

—Mrs. Charles N. Fitts of Bellevue street and Mrs. H. W. Fitts of Pembroke street left Monday for a four weeks' sojourn in Florida.

—Mr. John T. Burns has been appointed a member of the committee in charge of the auction board of the Mass. Real Estate Exchange.

—An interesting meeting of the Men's Club of Grace Church was held Monday evening in the parish house. Mr. Robert L. Studley gave an interesting talk on wool.

—At the meeting of the Newton Democratic Club Monday evening in Eagle hall, Pres. Arthur W. Blake, more of the Board of Aldermen gave an address on City Government.

—Mr. William E. Litchfield of Bellevue street is attending the annual meeting of the National Chamber of Commerce at Washington, this week, as a delegate to the Boston Chamber.

—Miss Belle J. Allen, M. D., a physician in the Mrs. William Butler Hospital at Baroda, India, has been engaged to speak at the Methodist Church, Sunday, February 22 at 7.30 P. M.

—Miss Edith Olive Rees, only daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Alfred W. Rees, passed away Wednesday afternoon after an lingering illness of about eight months. Funeral services will be held this afternoon at her late home, 14 Gordon terrace.

—Three students at the Mt. Ida School were slightly injured Tuesday afternoon while coasting on Winchester road, when their double-runner came into collision with a tree. They were thrown several feet and were badly scratched by the ice.

—Sometime during Sunday night the Newton Station of the Boston and Albany Railroad was entered, and the cigar and candy stand broken open, and much of its contents stolen. It is thought that boys secreted themselves in a part of the building until after the depot was closed for the night, and then ransacked the stand.

—Fully 200 attended the church supper on Wednesday evening in Eliot Chapel, and it was a very enjoyable social affair. The after-dinner speakers included Mr. Franklin W. Ganse, who gave an interesting discourse on Abraham Lincoln, and Mr. Kimball who spoke on "What George Washington Missed by Being Born So Long Ago." A musical program was given which included vocal selections by Mr. Axel Collins.

—Mr. Rogers Wentworth Shapleigh, a former resident of this village, died in Pasadena, Cal., on February 7, at the age of 37 years. Mr. Shapleigh was a son of the late John R. W. Shapleigh of this place and is survived by a widow, his mother, who resides at Los Angeles, Cal., two sisters, Mrs. Charles T. Leeds of Los Angeles and Miss Alice W. Shapleigh of Newton, and a brother, Mr. S. Chandler Shapleigh of Pittsburg, Pa. The burial was at St. Louis, Mo.

## MUSICAL

Notable among the social events of the week was the musicale and tea given on Wednesday afternoon by Dr. and Mrs. William F. Boos at their residence on Windsor road, Waban.

It was a very delightful affair and was for the benefit of the South End Music School in Boston.

The rooms were beautifully decorated for the occasion with southern smilax and jonquils, in a decorative scheme of green and yellow.

A high-class program was presented, comprising works by the celebrated composers, which enlisted the services of Mr. Leo Da Vaux of the Boston Opera Company, in vocal selections; Mr. Rudolph Nagel, cellist, of the Boston Symphony Orchestra; Mr. Daniel Kuntz, violinist, of the Symphony Orchestra; Miss Mary Obrien, a celebrated Boston pianist, and Mrs. Robert M. Currier, who is head of the pianoforte department at the South End Music School.

Mr. Nagel and Mrs. Currier were also heard in pleasing trio selections.

In the dining room, where refreshments were served, the floral decorations were very effective, a combination of violets and jonquils being attractively arranged in a large centerpiece on the table.

A large company of guests, prominent in social life were present from Boston, Providence, New Bedford, Jamaica Plain, Dedham, Chestnut Hill, Brookline and the Newtons.

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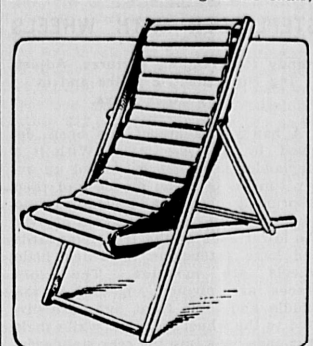
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## CHAIR IS A LIFE PRESERVER

Contrivance Also Can Be Used for a Washstand or Mattress—Canvas Is Filled With Cork.

An Englishman has shown the fertility of his imagination by inventing a steamer chair that is also a life preserver, a wash stand and a mattress. The framework of the chair is like that of other steamer chairs, without the foot rest, but the body of it is a roll of cork-filled canvas, swung loosely enough to give and afford a comfortable reclining seat. By turning the chair upside down, the inventor claims, it can be transformed into a very handy washstand, while by removing the canvas and laying it flat on deck or floor a fair substitute for a mattress is provided. All the passenger needs do is keep close to his chair. If the ship should spring a leak while he is sitting in the chair,



Unique Life Preserver.

or washing on the washstand, or sleeping on the mattress, he may safely leap overboard with the contrivance, as its buoyancy will keep him afloat.

## RECOGNIZE ONE'S OWN VOICE

Scientist Says Man Does Not See Himself as Others Do, Neither Does He Hear Himself.

Laloy, who appears to have scientifically investigated the matter assures us that not only does one not see himself as others see him, but that he does not hear himself as others hear him. Some interesting experiments were made by the French savant in this connection, according to London Tilt-Bits.

In order to ascertain whether a man really knew the sound of his own voice, Laloy has been at some pains to determine the facts. His experiments show that if a person record on a phonograph disk a few sentences pronounced by himself, together with others recorded by friends, and causes the machine to reproduce these, it most frequently happens that the man more easily recognizes the voices of his friends than he does his own.

It appears that the difference lies in the quality of the tone. One hears his own voice not only through the air, as do his auditors, but across the solid parts between the organs of speech and those of hearing. The sound thus produced has a different timber from that conducted to the ear by the air below.

If one entertain any doubt as to this, let him try the following experiments. Take the end of a wooden rod between the teeth and pronounce a vowel continuously. Let the other end be taken alternately between the teeth and released by another person who at the same time stops his ears. The latter will find that every time he seizes the rod in his teeth the sound will be stronger than when it reaches the air above, and that it has a different quality. The passage of sound through a solid body augments its intensity and modifies its quality.

Notes of Science and Invention

A megaphone and fan have been combined in a recent novelty.

One of the newer vacuum bottles can be taken entirely apart for cleansing.

There are estimated to be at least 200,000 motorboats in use in the United States.

A patent has been granted to cover the manufacture of dog biscuits in the shape of bones.

Malaria and other diseases have materially reduced at Jerusalem by sanitation methods introduced by an American.

To enable a person to photograph himself from a distance a Californian has invented an electrical attachment for cameras.

Riders on an Illinois inventor's merry-go-round occupy bicycle seats and provide the power by driving aerial propellers with pedals.

Spring tongs, terminating in pointed blades, have been patented by a Connecticut inventor for removing weeds, roots and all, from the ground.

A Philadelphia scientist claims to have invented an incandescent gas light, so mounted that its rays are filtered through colored screens until they are identical with sunlight.

## Waban

—GO TO CHURCH NEXT SUNDAY.  
—Dancing will be enjoyed after the supper of the Women's Guild in Bessey Hall this evening.

—Mr. George M. Angier will have three of his English Schipperkees in the Boston Dog Show next week.

—Rain or shine—it is expected that Waban's Churches will be filled next Sunday—"Go to Church Day" in Waban.

—The February meeting of the Beacon Club will take place in Waban Hall next Wednesday evening, Feb. 18th.

—Dr. and Mrs. Earle E. Bessey will entertain on Friday evening, February 20th, in Bessey Hall with a dancing party.

—The Sewing Circle of the Union Church now meets twice a month instead of once a month as in the earlier part of the season.

—A Debate arranged by Katherine Wardwell and Fanny Rane will be the program at the meeting of the Young People's League on Sunday afternoon.

—The Newton Equal Franchise Association will hold a meeting at the home of Mrs. Herbert R. Lane, 55 Windsor road, on Wednesday, Feb. 18th, at three-thirty P. M., when Mrs. Marion Booth Kelley will speak on Woman's Suffrage.

—The Men's Club of the Church of the Good Shepherd, on Wednesday evening at the home of Mr. Herbert R. Lane, Windsor road, when Dr. Boos gave a talk on the use of alcohol from the view point of the modern physician. Refreshments were served and a social hour enjoyed.

—Gentlemen's Night of the Waban Women's Club will be held in the Union Church vestry at 8 P. M., February 23rd. Dr. Edward A. Steiner will lecture on Immigration. Members of the Club are entitled to bring one guest. Anyone not a member may attend this meeting on payment of the admission fee of twenty-five cents.

—The Masquerade Party of the Waban Tennis Courts in Bessey Hall last Saturday evening brought out forty couples and was thoroughly enjoyed by the merry participants, among whom were 15 clowns. Mr. Robert Hall and Mr. Learned as Dutch twins were noticeably good in makeup, as were Miss Dorothy Winchester and the Misses Clara and Barbara Wiley as Yama Yama girls. Charles Andrews as a Wolf, Louis Arnold as a Skeleton, and Mrs. Mathews as a Turkish couple, Mrs. Street as a Quakeress, Mrs. Herbert Lane as an Indian Maid, Miss Cutler as Red Riding Hood, Mr. and Mrs. Doble as Mexicans, Mr. and Mrs. Blaney as a Spanish couple, Mrs. Bessey in Colonial dress, Mrs. Allen as Blue Bird, Brown, while Joseph Bartlett and Edward Street made two good-sized colored gentlemen.

—The Women's Home Mission Society met in the chapel of the Baptist Church on last Tuesday afternoon at 3 o'clock. "A Home Mission Story" was given by Miss Marian Chamberlain.

—Rev. E. M. Noyes was in Concord, N. H., Wednesday and Thursday, where he gave several addresses before the annual Convocation of Home Missionary Pastors of New Hampshire.

—The Home Department of the Ladies' Society of the First Church was addressed on District Nursing and work of Twombly House, the Settlement Home in Upper Falls, on Wednesday morning.

—The Old-Fashioned Spelling Match will be the feature of the February Social of the First Baptist Church next Wednesday night. The more ambitious spellers are already in training for the occasion.

—Several of the young people of Newton Centre enjoyed a party given by Mrs. Maynard of 75 Lowell street, Newtonville. Mrs. Maynard is a teacher of foreign languages in the Newton Technical High School. The party was given to the students of her French class.

—Rev. M. A. Levy will preach on "By Faith, Judgment," at the morning service of the First Baptist Church next Sunday. At the evening service he will speak on "Jesus is not Dead." The evening service will include fifteen minutes of hearty Gospel songs under the leadership of Mr. C. A. Pearce.

—In the recent whirlwind campaign conducted to secure \$200,000 needed for building and equipment of the new St. Elizabeth's Hospital in Brighton, the teams appointed in the Sacred Heart Parish, Newton Centre, secured \$1805.85 in cash, with one pledge of \$100. The chairman was James F. McInerney, and the captains of the teams were the following: Patrick McGrath, F. W. Mullen, Dr. John King, James A. Waters, Esq., Michael O'Connell, Alex. Smith and Frank Hasley, John O'Kane and D. H. Nizigan.

—On Tuesday evening, February 24, the Men's Club of Trinity Parish will hold its annual "Ladies' Night" in the parish house. A large gathering is expected on that occasion as interest in the work of the church is growing rapidly and the influence of the organization on the community is becoming more widely appreciated. The program which has been planned for the entertainment will consist of an illustrated lecture on the operation of the telephone, by Mr. William C. Bamberg, Advertising Manager of the New England Telephone and Telegraph Company; a light collation afterward followed by dancing.

—The next session of the Men's Kindergarten will be held in Bray hall on Thursday evening, February 19, at 7.45 o'clock. There will be the usual kindergarten songs and games, folk dances and children's stories, all of which give delight to the children themselves, and it is believed the audience will share in their enjoyment. This session of the Kindergarten will be the occasion for a visit from two special members of the school committee. The children at present enrolled are: Henriette Cooke, Fanny Williams, Buddie Mitchell, Charlotte Gordon, Henrietta Watters, Clara Jones, Jennie Wittlesey, Georgianna Holmes, Sally Merrill, Ernie Dearing, Lige Clark, Robbie Hayden, Willie Reynolds, Danny Callaghan, Billy Kerr, Louie Eaton, Willie Wilder, Georgie Spalding, and Jean Lotz.

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**BOSTON THEATRE**—The return of William A. Brady's "Way Down East" company to the Boston Theatre for a brief engagement is in the nature of a home coming rather than an event of merely perfunctory interest. This play was the first attraction upon the stage of the Boston Theatre when that historic temple of the drama passed into the hands of B. F. Keith, the first attraction of the house when the Harris-Charles Frohman-Klaw and Erlanger management leased it, and now, after all these years, Mr. Keith, resuming his direction of the edifice again secures the New England drama for what promises to be a memorable return visit.

For this occasion "Way Down East" is being presented by a company containing nearly every living member of the cast that first interpreted its roles in this city. It has been Mr. Brady's purpose as far as possible to keep together the actors, actresses and singers who originally vivified the personages in this famous and typical New England play, and save for those removed by death, the changes have been few.

The future policy of the Boston Theatre will be to play all the big popular productions available at prices not to exceed 25c, 50c and 75c with \$1.00 for the best orchestra seats. At the Wednesday matinee the prices will be 25c and 50c.

The above prices are now in effect for "Way Down East."

**B. F. KEITH'S THEATRE**—Maggie Cline, Queen of All Ireland and dear to the heart of every American theatre-goer, will return to B. F. Keith's Theatre next week after a two years' absence from Boston. Miss Cline will appear in a gorgeous costume of emerald green, Maggie never would wear any other color, and sing a repertoire of popular songs. But she still retains "Throw Him Down, McCluskey," in her repertoire. The big comedy feature of the week will be the re-appearance of Louis A. Simon and his company of fourteen singers, dancers and comedians in the new edition of his greatest opera comique success, "The New Persian Garden." This is without question one of the funniest musical comedies ever written. A brand-new musical score by Anatol Friedland, with new dances by Jack Mason, are features of the new edition of "The Persian Garden." Other big features of the week will be John Josephson's Icelandic Troupe, in exhibitions of "Glimma," their national method of self-defense; George W. Day & Co. in "In Dutch"; Will Oakland & Co. in "At the Club," a singing novelty; Goldsmith and Hoppe; Farley and Morrison; and the Aerial Shaws.

## Mortgagee's Sale of Real Estate

By virtue of the power of sale contained in a certain mortgage deed given by Rodney M. Lucas to Florence H. King, dated January 20, 1908, and recorded with Middlesex South District Registry of Deeds, book 3349, page 285, for breach of condition of said mortgage and for the purpose of foreclosing the same, will be sold by public auction at the premises therein described, on February 25, 1914, at 3.30 p. m., the following described real estate in said mortgage, viz:

All the undivided interest of Rodney M. Lucas, as one of the heirs of Oscar F. Lucas, in a certain parcel of land, with the buildings thereon, situated in that part of Newton in the County of Middlesex, containing fifteen thousand four hundred and seventy square feet, be the more or less, described as follows, to wit:

Beginning at a point on Cherry street, corner of Webster street and on the south side of said Webster street, and on the east side of said Cherry street, and thence running easterly on Webster street eight hundred and thirty-five feet, thence southerly one hundred and eighty-two feet (182), thence westerly eighty-five feet to Cherry street, thence on said Cherry street northerly to point of beginning, or how otherwise said land may be bounded or described; said real estate and buildings having been owned jointly by Nathaniel T. Allen, recorded in Middlesex Registry, in Cambridge, liber 553, folio 389, and by Oscar F. Lucas, William P. Houghton and Oscar F. Lucas, liber 1068, folio 365, and Oscar F. Lucas and John H. Allen, liber 1242, folio 551. Said interest in said premises will be sold subject to any and all mortgages, taxes, tax titles or other municipal liens on said premises, if any.

**FLORENCE H. KING**, Mortgagee  
1284 Commonwealth Avenue, Boston, Mass.

**Commonwealth of Massachusetts, Middlesex, ss.**  
**PROBATE COURT.**

To all persons who are or may become interested in the estate hereinafter mentioned, held in and for the County of Middlesex, on the twenty-fourth day of February A. D. 1914, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be granted.

WHEREAS, Walter D. Lathrop trustee under said will has presented to said Court his petition praying that he may be authorized to sell, either at public or private sale, certain real estate held by him as such trustee situated in Newton in the County of Middlesex, and particularly described in said petition, for the reasons therein set forth.

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court to be held at Cambridge, in said County of Middlesex, on the twenty-fourth day of February A. D. 1914, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be granted. And said petitioner is ordered to serve this citation by delivering a copy thereof to each person interested in the estate fourteen days, at least, before said Court, or by publishing the same once in each week, for three successive weeks, in the Newton Graphic a newspaper published in Newton the last publication to be one day, at least, before said Court.

Witness, Charles J. McIntire, Esquire, First Judge of said Court, this fifth day of February, in the year one thousand nine hundred and fourteen.

## CHILDREN'S ANNUAL FESTIVAL

The annual festival of the Barnard Memorial will be held on Monday, February 23, in the main hall of the Mechanics building on Huntington avenue, and preparations have been made for a more elaborate entertainment than any heretofore held under the same auspices. There will be abundance of room, the best music, new costume dances and patriotic marches, and it is confidently hoped that an attendance at least double that ever gathered on this occasion will be present. The great hall will easily accommodate 6000 children and their friends. Special arrangements have been made for festival parties of children and young people. A good lunch at a reasonable price can be had on the main floor and ample retiring rooms for private lunch and rest will be at the free disposal of all. There will be general dancing, free to all, and novel and beautiful exhibition dances under the direction of Mrs. Lila Viles Wyman. Reserved seats at a small additional cost. This is a fine way to spend Washington's Birthday with the children.

## PHILADELPHIA ORCHESTRA—ELMAN

One of the great orchestras of America, the Symphony Orchestra of Philadelphia, will make its first appearance in ten years in Symphony Hall, Boston, next Sunday (February 22), at 8.15, at 3.30 o'clock. The Orchestra will have as its conductor that most distinguished and talented musician, Leopold Stokowski and Mischa Elman, the great Russian violinist, will be the soloist. The programme comprises Brahms' First Symphony in C Minor, Erich Korngold's "Schauspiel" Overture (Korngold being the remarkable boy composer of Vienna), Saint-Saens' Concerto for Violin in B Minor No. 2, Richard Wagner's Overture and Bacchanale from "Tannhauser."

**PLYMOUTH THEATRE**—If you would enjoy a delightful evening's entertainment, "The New Persian Garden" now on the eve of its eighth week at the Plymouth Theatre, Boston. As other plays come and go "Under Cover" gains prestige and it is the one play that leaves a lasting memory of a story well told. Few plays seen in Boston have made their way more quickly into the attention and the interest of the public. The piece entered into its present engagement practically unheralded and in a short time had scored the biggest hit of any play seen in Boston in years. "Under Cover" is an interesting, exciting and surprising story ingeniously, suspensively and engrossingly told. It presents an up-to-date picture of New York's fashionable world and the workings of the United States Customs. The production is elaborately staged and the principal characters are ably handled by a cast of well-known players headed by William Courtenay and Lily Cahill. Mr. Courtenay whose popularity with New England playgoers is well known, appears as Steven Denby, the suspected smuggler. It is a role just suited for his admirable qualifications. The regular Thursday and Saturday matinees prevail while an extra matinee is announced for Washington's Birthday, Monday, February 23. Mail orders as usual are given the strictest attention.

**CURT THEATRE**—The tremendous popularity of "When Dreams Come True," the musical comedy now at the Curt Theatre, Boston, has compelled the management to extend the engagement indefinitely. Attendance is taxing the capacity of the model and comfortable playhouse and there is every present indication that the piece is in for a long and prosperous run. "When Dreams Come True" has for its star young Joseph Santley, the actor-singer-dancer. Mr. Santley knows how to act, how to sing pleasingly if not greatly, and when it comes to dancing is quite the most finished, refined and graceful artist Boston has seen for many seasons. Naturally, as is the vogue this year, modern steps are Mr. Santley's hobby, and he delights in them. Throughout the engagement of "When Dreams Come True" there will be matinee Wednesdays and Saturdays, the former at popular prices. Owing to the extension of the time at the new Curt Theatre, seats are now on sale three weeks in advance, including those for the final matinee on Washington's Birthday, February 23rd.

**CASTLE SQUARE**—With "Stop Thief" at the Castle Square next week, John Craig shows his enterprise. It is one of the most successful of modern farces. Its story is highly exciting as well as amusing, it is told in three acts of continuous cleverness, both of action and of dialogue and it appeals especially to the playgoer who wants his dramatic entertainment seasoned with hilarity. And of mirth and laughter in "Stop Thief" there is no end. With Mr. Carleton, Mr. Meek, Mr. Walker, Mr. Roberts, Miss Olsson, Miss Colcord and Mr. Craig's entire company in "Stop Thief," next week's production at the Castle Square promises to be one of the hits of the season.

## MAN HURT

William Carlin of West Newton, was thrown from a carriage and received bad cuts about the face and possibly a broken jaw when his vehicle came into collision with an automobile truck, owned by the Lynch & Blanchard Express, at the junction of Washington, Waltham and Watertown streets, Friday evening.

The carriage is the property of F. S. Smith of 45 Pine Ridge road, Waban, and Carlin, who was driving up Washington street, was about to turn into Waltham street. The automobile truck, coming in the opposite direction on Washington street, was just turning the corner into Watertown. Carlin was taken to the Newton Hospital.

## OLD FAVORITE IS THIS SOUP

Rice and Tomatoes seem to be Exceptionally Well Liked as Foundation for the Mixture.

Use one can or the equivalent in fresh tomatoes, one-third of a cupful of rice, a large onion, a large slice of carrot, a quart of water, three table-spoonfuls of butter, two teaspoonfuls of salt, three dashes of pepper and two table-spoonfuls of flour. Chop the onion and carrot fine and put them into a frying pan with the butter. Cook slowly for 20 minutes. Put the tomato and a quart of water into the stewpan and bring to the boil. Skim the vegetables from the butter and add them to the tomato and water. Put the flour with the butter remaining in the pan and cook until smooth and frothy, stirring all the while. Then add the mixture in the stewpan and set where its contents will simmer for half an hour. Press the mixture through a sieve, pressing everything through except the seeds and skins. Wash the rice and put it in the soup pot, pouring the strained mixture over the rice. Add the seasoning and set the soup pot where its contents will cook slowly for an hour. Stir the soup several times to prevent the rice from sticking to the kettle. Serve very hot.

## Flank Steak With Dressing.

Select a nice, thick flank and have the butcher remove all skin and score it on both sides. Ask for a small piece of suet. Ingredients for dressing: Two cupfuls of soaked bread crumbs, one small onion, one table-spoonful of butter, one egg, one-quarter teaspoonful of salt, a little powdered sage, several shakings of pepper. Pour water on the stale bread. When soft press dry in both hands, then reject any hard or dark parts. Beat the egg well, and stir in, also the seasoning; mince the onion, put in frying pan with the butter, let it cook a little, but not brown; add the bread, turn a few times, then taken from stove. Rub the flank well with salt and pepper, place dressing on, then roll tightly, tie with white cord, cut suet up finely, tie with white cord, cut the roast, cover and cook in steady heat; it must be well done, but not dried out.

## Whipped Cream Without Beater.

If you would whip cream easily and have no beater with which to whip it, put it into a fruit jar—the sort that has a screw top. If you have a cupful of cream put it into a pint jar. If you have a pint of cream use a quart jar. Screw the top down firmly and then begin to shake the jar, holding it firmly in both hands, first to the right, then to the left, as the soda fountain man shakes a milk shake. The cream will whip before very long, much more easily and much more quickly than if you use a fork.

## Delicate Stimulant.

Every invalid sooner or later becomes tired of raw eggs in the usual manner in which they are served. The following will be found very tempting and new. Beat the yolk of one egg until quite thick. Then beat in thoroughly one table-spoonful each of powdered sugar and brandy. Whip the white of the egg to a froth with a pinch of salt and stir into the first mixture. The whole should be quite thick when ready to be eaten.

## Cockle Broth.

The cockle is similar to the clam. Open fifteen large, fresh cockles; place them in a small saucepan with all their liquor. Add one and a half quarts cold water and four branches of celery. Place on the fire, season with two saltspoons cayenne pepper, adding one teaspoon butter; let boil for ten minutes. Strain through cheese-cloth and serve in cups enough for six.

## Pumpkin Fritters.

Peel a pumpkin and cut it in finger-shaped pieces, four inches long and an inch wide, or narrower. Rub each with salt and soak them in cold water for ten minutes. Then drain them and dry them with a cloth. Cover each with flour by rubbing it on thoroughly, and fry them in deep fat. Sprinkle with salt, and serve hot, each topped with a slice of boiled bacon, or bacon fried in deep fat.

## Dutch Sauce.

Blend together two ounces of butter and a small teaspoonful of flour, put it into stewpan with equal quantities of water and tarragon vinegar (two table-spoonfuls of each), stir for a minute and add the beaten yolks of two eggs, keeping up the stirring until the mixture thickens. It must not boil, and when ready to serve pour into it half the juice of a lemon. Make the sauce in a double boiler.

## Cream Soups.

A housekeeper famous for her cream soups gives this as a general proportion for them: One quart of liquid, one pint of vegetable pulp, two table-spoonfuls each of flour and butter. And she says the secret of making them successfully is to mix the liquid and vegetable matter together so carefully that no lumps are formed.

## New Sweet for Children.

Make a syrup of a pound of sugar and one pint of water, and add a little lemon juice. Place a pound of prunes (known as "twenties") in this syrup and let stand a night and a day, until fully swelled. Remove from juice and pit. Fill cavities with a small marshmallow, while prune is damp, to absorb juices. Roll in granulated sugar and keep in tin.

## SERVING STEAK "TAIL ENDS"

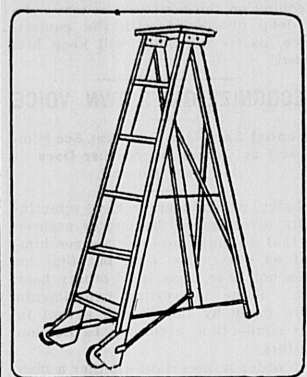
Part Usually Considered Good for Nothing May Be Made Into Some Delicious Dishes.

One part of food which almost invariably goes to waste is the tail end of steaks. This part of the meat is usually so tough and full of coarse fiber that no one could eat it. Now the wise cook can so disguise these tails that the eater will think it some entirely novel dish. Besides using these ends in casseroles, they may be chopped in the meat chopper, moistened with onion juice, mixed in with potato, seasoned well, shaped into cones, dipped in egg and cracker crumbs and the despoiled ends of steak will come out triumphantly as most delicious croquettes. When porterhouse steak is 28 to 32 cents a pound, it is certainly worth while saving the ends, which often weigh as much as the tender meat itself.

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rear legs a trifle the whole structure can be trundled about on the wheels and moved from one room to another with no trouble at all and without affecting its stability.

## Mixing Fruits.

When inclined to be dry or tasteless, apples are greatly improved by the addition of other fruits. Grated pineapples and quinces are both good for this purpose, but dried fruits, such as dates, figs and prunes, can also be used with excellent results. The dates should be stoned and cut into quarters before being cooked with the apples, and the figs should be shredded. Prunes must be well washed and allowed to soak in a little cold water before cooking, and, as apples require less cooking than prunes, the latter are nearly tender. Very little sweetening, if any, is required when figs, dates and prunes are used with apples.

## Banana Penchoe.

Two cups of light brown sugar, one cup granulated sugar, moisten with a generous half-cup milk or cream; boil until it forms a ball in cold water; remove from fire, add a tiny piece of butter and one cup diced bananas; then beat till creamy and pour on buttered pan to cool. Mark off or cut in any desired shape. To prepare bananas, strip skin from two large bananas, cut in two lengthwise once and then once more; hold firmly and slice crosswise and measure one cup of the diced banana.

## Very Small Tapioca Pudding.

Heat 1 1/4 cups of milk and turn over the well-beaten mixture of 1/4 cup of sugar, pinch of salt and 1 small egg. Into this turn 1 mixing spoon of soaked (1 dessert spoon when it's dry) tapioca. Cook until tapioca is clear and soft. Serve with halved candied cherries, 1/4-inch size cubes of chocolate, or cocoa fudge, or dabs of currant jelly upon the top. Any light cake, or sugar cookies will be palatable served with tapioca cream desserts.

## Salad Louisiana.

To one pint of shredded celery, finely minced, five oranges and two lemons, diced, add one pint of large strawberries or other fruit, cut in halves which have been put on ice to chill. Beat two egg yolks very light, add one teaspoonful of very fine salt, the juice of two lemons, and lastly, one cupful of strawberry juice poured over the salad just when served.

## Fig Filling.

Chop fine one pound of figs and add one-half cup of sugar and one cup of water and stew in a sauce pan over the fire until soft. Add one table-spoonful lemon juice and spread between the layers and ice the whole cake with boiled icing.

## Take Care of House-Plants.

Cover the plants in the house with a light cloth while sweeping. The lungs of plants are as easily choked with dust as our own breathing apparatus.

## Newton

—Mrs. John E. Alden is seriously ill at her home on Centre street.

—Dutch clip for children, Fell Bros., Washington St., opp. Bank, adv.

—Mr. Charles J. Bailey of Surrey road is recovering from his recent illness.

—Mr. Jeremiah Driscoll has taken a position as foreman at Bush's Stable.

—Mrs. Samuel W. Bridges of Farmont avenue is in New York for a short stay.

—The subject at the meeting this evening in Eliot Chapel will be "Some Side-Lights on the Temperance Movement," in view of its proximity to Lincoln's birth-day.

—Mr. and Mrs. Edwin P. Brown and Mr. George W. Brown of Washington street have sent out cards for a dinner-dance on Saturday evening at the Country Club.

—Mr. Charles H. Fiske, Jr. of Bay State road, Boston, was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Prescott Warren, at dinner, and at the dance Wednesday evening at the Hunnewell Club.

—Mrs. Harry C. Wiggin entertained the members of the Signal Lantern Chapter, Children of the American Revolution, on Saturday morning at her residence on Marlboro street.

—Miss Gretchen Harwood of Waverley avenue was among the guests at a dance given on Wednesday evening by Mrs. Bratton at Fall River, where her fiancé, Mr. Rogers is settled in business.

—Mr. and Mrs. William J. Follett of Park street will entertain a company of friends at a house-party, over Washington's Birthday, at "Nushka," their summer home at Lake Winnepesaukee, N. H.

—Miss Frances Stebbins entertained the members of the Junior Chamber of Commerce on Wednesday afternoon at her residence on Sargent street. Miss Eleanor Brackett was chairman of the meeting.

—Several Newton young men will be guests of Miss Marjorie Warren, at a Valentine party on Saturday at Rosemary Hall, her school at Greenwich, Conn. The dance is one of the annual social events of the school, at which the students are allowed to entertain their friends.

Among all the clearance sales of this season of the year, few, if any, have the peculiar attraction of that held by the Lauriat Company in February, of each year. Always an attractive sport for booklovers, it is especially so this month. "Stock-taking," the first of the month, is the time for the annual overhauling of the entire stock, and books that, for one reason or other, it is found desirable to close out, are set apart and prices put upon them that will accomplish the desired result. Special coupons are arranged with these special offers, some of which are extraordinarily tempting. One of the most attractive of all—and one which is getting to be famous—is their "dollar counter." This should not be overlooked by the real bargain hunter.

## Commonwealth of Massachusetts, Middlesex, ss.

### PROBATE COURT.

To the heirs-at-law, next of kin, creditors, and all other persons interested in the estate of Cynthia M. Stuart late of Newton in said County, deceased, notice is hereby given.

WHEREAS a petition has been presented to said Court to grant a letter of administration on the estate of said deceased to Frederick M. Stuart of Newton in the County of Middlesex, without giving a surety on his official bond.

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court to be held at Cambridge, in said County of Middlesex, on the sixteenth day of February A. D. 1914, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be granted.

And the petitioner is hereby directed to give public notice thereof, by publishing this citation once in each week, for three successive weeks, in the Newton Graphic a newspaper published in Newton the last publication to be one day, at least, before said Court.

Witness, Charles J. McIntire, Esquire, First Judge of said Court, this twentieth day of January in the year one thousand nine hundred and fourteen.

W. E. ROGERS, Register.

## Commonwealth of Massachusetts, Middlesex, ss.

### PROBATE COURT.

To the heirs-at-law, next of kin and all other persons interested in the estate of Ellen B. Ranlett late of Newton in said County, deceased, notice is hereby given.

WHEREAS a certain instrument purporting to be the last will and testament of said deceased has been presented to said Court, for Probate, by Robert D. Holt who prays that letters testamentary may be issued to him, the executor, therein named, without giving a surety on his official bond.

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Witness, Charles J. McIntire, Esquire, First Judge of said Court, this twentieth day of January in the year one thousand nine hundred and fourteen.

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### PROBATE COURT.

To the heirs-at-law, next of kin and all other persons interested in the estate of Susan V. Brewer late of Newton in said County, deceased, notice is hereby given.

WHEREAS a certain instrument purporting to be the last will and testament of said deceased has been presented to said Court, for Probate, by George R. Blinn who prays that letters testamentary may be issued to him, the executor, therein named, without giving a surety on his official bond.

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Witness, Charles J. McIntire, Esquire, First Judge of said Court, this fifth day of February in the year one thousand nine hundred and fourteen.

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W. E. ROGERS, Register.

## Commonwealth of Massachusetts, Middlesex, ss.

### PROBATE COURT.

To the heirs-at-law, next of kin and all other persons interested in the estate of Susan V.





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## Newtonville

**—GO TO CHURCH NEXT SUNDAY.**  
—Mr. James L. Richards, who is enjoying a southern trip, is at Ash-  
hille, N. C.

—Mr. and Mrs. Edward McGrath of Washington street have removed to Watertown.

—An all day sewing meeting was held Wednesday in the vestry of the Methodist Church.

—Mr. Peter McGrath is seriously ill at the home of Mr. William Murphy on Cabot street.

—Mrs. Martha Quimby of Cabot street is recovering from a serious illness with pneumonia.

—Rev. G. Charles Grey, of Harvard University, delivered the sermon Sunday at the Methodist Church.

—Mr. and Mrs. Chas. A. Peakes of Walnut street announce the engagement of their daughter, Hazel, to Mr. Francis L. Owens of Allston.

—Mr. William F. Hackett was a guest over the week end at the home of his parents Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Hackett of Highland avenue.

—Miss Gladys Avery will entertain the members of the Young Women's Club of St. John's Church, on Wednesday evening at her residence on Crafts street.

—Rev. James Watson Campbell will begin a series of sermons on the Problems and Ideals of Young People, next Sunday at the Methodist Church.

—Mrs. Wilbur F. Noyes entertained the members of the Thimble Club of the Methodist Church on Thursday afternoon at her residence on Washington street.

—Mr. F. S. Retan will address the Ten's Class at the Methodist Church this Sunday at 12:15 on the "Mexican problem." The public cordially invited.

—Mr. and Mrs. Austin H. Decatur of Andover new residence on Otis street, West Newton, is nearing completion, and will be ready for occupancy early in April.

—Mr. and Mrs. Ralph W. Wales have returned from their wedding trip and are occupying their new home at 7 Bowers street. They will be at home after March 1st.

—The pop-concert for the benefit of the parish house fund of St. John's church will be held this evening in Temple hall and all of the 91 tables have been sold. After the concert here will be dancing.

—In his sermon next Sunday morning at the Universalist Church, Rev. Albert Hammatt will have something of great importance to say to his people. The public is cordially invited.

—Mrs. Henry Coolidge, has issued cards announcing the marriage of her daughter, Miss Mildred May, to Mr. Arnold Collamore of South, on Thursday, February 12th, at her residence in Brookline.

—The Woman's Missionary Society of the Methodist Church will hold a meeting Thursday afternoon, at 3 o'clock in the vestry. Miss Rich will have charge of the program and the subject will be "The King's Business."

—Why the word "beauty" or the thought of the beautiful in connection with heaven is ignored in the New Testament will be the subject of the discourse at the Church of the New Jerusalem, Highland avenue, on Sunday morning.

—Mr. Charles Alexander Eastman, Sioux Indian, Physician, Attorney, author and Indian secretary of the Y. M. C. A., will address the meeting of the Clafin Club, Wednesday evening, at the Methodist Church. A course dinner will be served and each man is expected to be accompanied by a boy or his guest.

—Dr. Stephen P. Mallett of Washington park, gave a very interesting lecture on "Labrador," Sunday evening at the residence of Mr. John T. Burns on Jefferson street, Newton. The lecture was illustrated with stereoscopic views, which Dr. Mallett had collected on his three months' tour with Dr. Grenfell's expedition.

—Mr. Frank L. Nagle of Kirkstall and Past Right Eminent Grand Commander of the Grand Commandery of Knights Templar of Massachusetts and Rhode Island, left for Los Angeles, last Wednesday morning, as a member of the committee to arrange for the Triennial Conclave of the Grand Encampment of Knights Templar of the United States, which is to meet in that city in 1916.

—Members of Mt. Ida Council, Royal Arcanum, gave a very successful whist party Monday evening in Fenelon hall. It was attended by more than 200 and the prize winners were Mrs. W. W. Russell, Mrs. J. White, Miss Celia Skelton, Mrs. A. Ibbey, and Messrs. C. Henry Goodwin, Herbert Skelton, Charles A. Kellogg, and A. E. Allen. The committee included Messrs. Edward H. Taylor, Charles E. Ryall, A. Wilson, C. F. Jerklee, T. L. Suerkowski and Dr. D. W. McCabe.

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## ANDREWS—ROBINSON

The wedding of Miss Gladys Robinson, the daughter of Mrs. Israel Robinson of Waban and Dr. Robert Eaton Andrews of Cambridge, took place Tuesday evening at the Church of the Good Shepherd at Waban, which was festooned in Southern smilax, and adorned with bridal roses, Killarney roses and white lilies. Rev. James C. Sharp, the rector, performed the ceremony.

The bride was beautifully gowned in white duchess satin, elaborately embroidered with seed pearls and trimmed with exquisite lace that had been a treasured heirloom of the family. The lace formed a panel on the front of the skirt and was lavishly draped on the court train. The bride's veil was of white tulle arranged in a cap effect head by a wreath of lilies of the valley that prettily framed her face. She carried a large shower bouquet of lilies of the valley. Miss Catherine Oakes (Well-lesley) of Waban was the maid of honor, and wore shell pink satin made of white silk tulle and soft lace. A close fitting cap of gold lace trimmed with a vari-colored wreath of French flowers completed her costume. She wore gold slippers and carried a large bouquet of sweetheart roses and white lilies.

The bridesmaids, the Misses Rachael A. Gilmore, Barbara Wiley, and Mary Champlin of Waban and Anna Quinly of Newark, N. J., wore dresses of delicate pink chamoisee trimmed with silver lace with overdrapery of accordion plaited chiffon. Their hats were of silver lace trimmed with wreaths of tiny pink roses, and they carried bouquets of Killarney roses.

Dr. Horatio La Scur Andrews of Cambridge, was the best man, and the ushers were Dr. William H. Wolcott of Natick, Dr. Horace K. Boutwell of Boston, and Messrs. Winthrop Jamieson and Warren MacPherson of Cambridge.

A reception followed at the home of the bride on Plainfield street, Waban, which was decorated with Killarney roses and white lilies. Mr. and Mrs. Andrews were assisted in receiving their friends by Mrs. Israel Robinson, who was gowned most becomingly in pearl gray chamoisee with overdrapery embroidered in silver, gold and violet.

The bride's bodice was trimmed with bands of ermine and a soft frou-frou of carmine across the face was beautifully draped on the bodice and skirt.

Dr. and Mrs. Andrews will make their home for the present at 24 Plainfield street, Waban.

## INVITATION DANCE

The members of the Newton Dancing Class entertained a large company of guests at an invitation dance on Wednesday evening at the Hunnewell Club, Newton.

The hall was very beautifully decorated for the occasion, with festoons of southern smilax and large baskets of wisteria and pink laurel were arranged with artistic effect.

In the dining-room the table decorations were yellow, and the ladies who poured were Mrs. Francis W. Dana, Mrs. Fred A. Loveland, Mrs. Prescott Warren, and Mrs. Edward M. Hallett.

The committee on arrangements included Messrs. Francis W. Dana, William F. Garcelon, Edward M. Hallett, Fred H. Loveland, Prescott Warren and Shirley K. Kears.

An excellent program of popular music was furnished by Russell's Orchestra.

The guests included members of society from Boston, Weston and the Newtons. Among those present were Dr. and Mrs. Harvey Towle, Mr. and Mrs. George Napier Towle, Mr. Charles H. Fiske, Jr., of Boston, Mr. and Mrs. C. Harold Wheelock of Weston, Mr. and Mrs. Harry L. Ayer, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Weston of West Newton, Mr. Harry Dana Priest of Auburndale, Mr. and Mrs. Morton E. Cobb, Mr. and Mrs. A. Dudley Dowd, Mr. and Mrs. George Walker, Mr. and Mrs. James G. White, Newton Centre, Mr. and Mrs. Isaac S. Dillingham, Jr., Mr. and Mrs. William F. Garcelon, and Mr. and Mrs. George L. Parker, Mr. and Mrs. Everett E. Kent, Mr. and Mrs. William Hollings, Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Nye Smith, Mr. George Angier, Mr. and Mrs. Nash, Mr. Samuel W. Bridges, Mr. and Mrs. Ralph W. Angier, Mr. and Mrs. Frank P. Schofield, Mr. and Mrs. Howard Norton, Mr. and Mrs. Edwin P. Brown, Mr. Albert Todd, and Mr. and Mrs. Edward O. Gruener, of Newton.

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February 10th, 1914.

On the petition and complaint of Henry E. Bothfeld and others, customers of the Newton and Watertown Gas Light Company, praying for a reduction in the price of gas supplied by said company,

ORDERED That a public hearing be given thereon at the office of the Board, 603 Ford Building at 15 Ashburton place, Boston, on Wednesday, the twenty-fifth day of February current, at ten-thirty o'clock in the forenoon.

Attest:

R. G. TOBEY,

Clerk.

## TELEPHONE LINES IN CABLE

Biggest Underground System in Country Extends From Boston to Capital of the Nation.

One of the big intercity underground telephone cable systems in this country, with ten large cities on the main trunk line, has just been completed, and for the first time the telephone of the northeastern part of the United States is safe from the winter's snows and winds.

This underground telephone cable runs for 450 miles from Boston, the headquarters of the American Telephone and Telegraph company, to Washington, the capital of the nation. It runs through and connects the cities of Boston, Providence, Hartford, New York, Jersey City, Trenton, Philadelphia, Wilmington, Baltimore and Washington.

Practically the first serious consideration of the necessity of such a step was given after the blizzard of March 4, 1908, when so many cities were cut off entirely from the outside world, both in transportation and communication, says the Indianapolis News.

In this actual construction of the cable line in 40 mile lengths, the amount of material used was enormous. There were 4,690 reels of cable required, with a total weight of 8,900 tons, a load for 392 freight cars. The weight of the copper wire was 5,860,000 pounds and the total length of the wires is 347,424,000 feet. The lead sheaths for the wires total 11,060,000 pounds and would cover an area of 169,400 square yards.

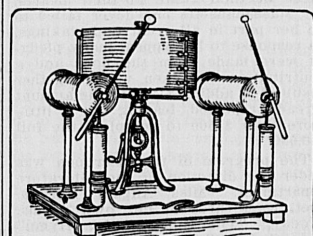
Each individual wire is wrapped along its entire length with a specially prepared tissue paper, and the amount of the paper used would cover an area of 2,900,000 square yards. In the cable are 74 pairs of duplex cable wires.

## NEW FORM STATIC MACHINE

French Device Has Large Surface So That Powerful Effect Is Obtained—Disks Not Used.

Most of us are familiar with the ordinary form of static machine embodying the great glass disks which revolve in a vertical plane. But the new form made at the Roy Court establishment, Avenue d'Orleans, Paris, at first glance would hardly be recognized as a static machine at all. An ebonite cylinder takes the place of the

glass disks. It has a large surface so that a powerful effect is obtained, says the Popular Electricity. In addition to other desirable features, it is provided with an electric heater, operated from the house wiring circuit, which warms the cylinder so that it can be operated in damp weather.



New French Static Machine.

pieces of inch board. One piece is attached to the tripod in the same way that the camera is ordinarily. To this is hinged another piece on which the camera is fastened by a thumb screw. The upper piece is tilted by use of the third board which is cut to two inches wide. It is hinged to the top piece and regulated by thumb screws attached to the bed piece.



Tilting Camera Base.

China now has 34 electric light plants and plans to add to the list.

Key West, Fla., was the first government wireless station to be opened to commercial messages.

Electrical apparatus taking current from a light socket has been invented for forcing the growth of plants indoors.

The wireless time signals sent out by the government from Washington are picked up by thousands of watch-makers.

According to a German official test networks of telephone wires over a city tend to diminish the danger from lightning.

A lighthouse on the south coast of the Isle of Wight has been equipped with a revolving light of 15,000,000 candlepower.

There are nearly 100 miles of wire in one electric sign in New York and 600 electrical horsepower are required to operate it.

Static electricity produced by the feathers of a duster used to clean incandescent lamps, has been known to break the filaments.

Small enough to be carried in the vest pocket is a new electric light and storage battery to be fastened to memorandum pads.

Switzerland soon will have a hydro-electric plant using the highest waterfall in the world so harnessed, the water dropping 5,412 feet.

Designed for feminine use is a new hand mirror, fitted with an electric light at one end, current being supplied by a storage battery contained in the handle.

An electric machine has been invented for preparing molding sand in foundries, breaking up the lumps, separating the grains and leaving it cool, loose and clean.

## AIRSHIPS ARE HERE TO STAY

Major Driant, Expert in Questions of Military Engineering, Has Faith in Dirigibles.

The French military authorities, in spite of the Zeppelin disaster, are still convinced that the big German dirigible dreadnoughts are a most destructive factor in warfare. Major Driant, deputy for Nancy, a son-in-law of the late General Boulanger and one of the foremost experts in questions of military engineering, in a recent interview said, according to the New York Tribune:

"The Zeppelin catastrophe does not shake one iota of my faith in big dirigibles. It is true that the Germans have had many accidents, and in time of war they will have many more, but as an offset we must remember the enormous service these dirigibles are capable of rendering in actual warfare.

"For instance, a dirigible can carry eight tons of dynamite, and can drop it, or any portion of it, at whatever point its commander may select. Suppose war breaks out between Germany and England and one dirigible costing \$300,000 and handled by 20 men gets in a position above a British battleship costing \$12,000,000 or \$15,000,000 and containing a crew of a thousand men. The destruction of the latter would be inevitable, for no deck armor, not even that of the new Queen Elizabeth could resist so great an impact.

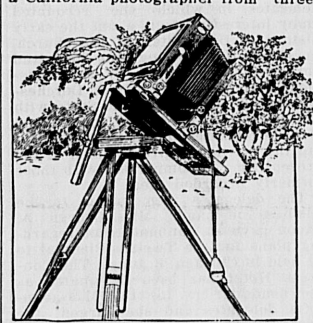
"The best proof of this theory is the confident perseverance of Germans in steadily increasing their fleet of Zeppelins, a perseverance that offers us a most wholesome example.

"I do not underestimate the value of our aeroplane for reconnoitering and scouting, but I have examined at Lunenburg a German Zeppelin from top to bottom and I have no hesitation in saying that the loss of 13 dreadnoughts of the air is no discouragement whatever and is not by any means too great a sacrifice for the supreme and inestimable destructive values of German Zeppelins as engines of annihilation. That can be appreciated only when the next war breaks out."

## TILTING BASE FOR CAMERAS

Important Factor in Taking Pictures of Small Objects on Ground Is Invented by Californian.

For taking pictures of plants and other small objects on the ground, a tilting base for the camera is essential, says the Popular Electricity. The one shown in the illustration was made by a California photographer from three



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## UNDER THE GILDED DOME

The hearing held last week Thursday before the committee on Cities on the bill to change the municipal year in Newton so that it should begin on the first secular day of January instead of on the second Monday, was a perfunctory matter. The change is asked by the city government on account of the new statute in regard to municipal appropriations, the present method leaving an interim of several days, when there is apparently no responsibility for city expenditures.

The hearing Tuesday before the same committee on Alderman Murphy's bill to change the method of electing aldermen in Newton so that there should be one more ward alderman and one less alderman at large from each ward was quite interesting. Mr. Murphy argued in favor of his bill on the ground that each village needs and wants are entirely distinct and should be presented to the city government by aldermen responsible to that particular ward or district. He claimed that the nomination of aldermen at large were dictated by the Republican city committee and that such nomination was equivalent to an election. He did not believe that Newton Centre should be able to dictate to Nonantum as to whom its aldermen should be. Mr. Murphy said this was not a party measure and believed that the rank and file of both Republican and Progressive parties were as anxious as the Democrats to make the change. In passing, Mr. Murphy called attention to the fact that on a school committee of seven, no Democrat was ever elected, although that party cast 2000 votes in the city. Mr. Murphy also favored the abolition of party designations in Newton municipal elections. In answer to a question from the committee, Mr. Murphy said that his bill might increase the Democratic representation in the board of aldermen by one member.

Mr. James A. Waters said it was an expensive proposition to make a city wide appeal for election as alderman at large, and it was much easier to elect aldermen by wards. He stated that the ward aldermen did all the work at City Hall, the aldermen at large constituting themselves into "watch dogs of the treasury" on the measures presented by the ward aldermen. He thought that seven aldermen would be sufficient to safeguard the treasury in this direction. He also called attention to the ignorance of the average citizen as to the names of the aldermen and thought election by ward would improve this condition.

Mr. William F. Cannon said that the rights of the people to be represented were not recognized in Newton. The local issues, he declared, are the prime issues, and the matters affecting the entire city could be looked after by a smaller number of aldermen. He said the present system caused the ward to be represented by one alderman and two outsiders.

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adopt this sum for the committees in question were strenuously resisted by the Democratic members of the House. Mr. Ellis offered an amendment to fix the compensation at \$5.00 per day for each day of actual service, but later withdrew it, when Mr. Bothfeld suggested a reference of the whole matter to the Governor and Council, with a maximum appropriation of \$21,000. This amendment was adopted.

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## FIREMAN HURT

The alarm from box 26 yesterday morning about eight o'clock was for a fire in the home of Mr. Frank T. Benner on Trowbridge avenue, Newtonville, from an unknown cause. Before it was discovered the fire had burned thru the roof and spread thru the partitions in the third floor. Richard Coady, connected with the auto truck at Newtonville, was badly injured when he pushed his right hand through a window on the third floor. An artery was severed and he received several other bad cuts. He evidently became affected by the smoke and broke the glass in an effort to get some fresh air. Several of the firemen carried him from the building to the office of Dr. Howard on Walnut street, where his injuries were attended to, but the artery was severed so badly that he was removed to the Newton Hospital and an operation performed. Many of the other firemen suffered frozen ears and hands.

Mr. Benner and his daughter, Miss Frances, were in bed when the blaze was discovered, and were unable to save anything of great value from the building. The firemen covered most of the furniture with the rubber covers, but the water caused much damage to the lower part of the house. Chief Randlett placed the damage on the house at \$5000, and it is thought that the damage to the contents will amount to more than \$1000. The firemen were served with hot coffee by Mrs. Ernest Nixon, a neighbor.

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## WOMEN'S CLUBS

MISS GRACE M. BURT, Editor.

The campaign against alcoholism, which was begun yesterday, Lincoln's Birthday, is receiving the support of the clubs throughout the city. It is not to be supposed that any great amount of specific good will come from this single attempt, but it is intended as an educational campaign and everything that the community can do in this way is well worth the doing.

## State Federation

Friday, Feb. 20, 2 P. M.—Industrial and Social Conditions Conference at Roslindale by invitation of the Roslindale Community Club, at the Congregational Church, Ashland street. Subject, "Interpretation of the Massachusetts Child Labor Law of 1913." From the industrial point of view, Robert Turner, Commissioner of Labor; The ultimate good from the social standpoint, Miss Esther G. Barrows, South End House, Boston. Admission by card bearing name and club.

## Newton Federation

The Mid-Winter meeting of the Newton Federation will be held at Channing Church, Newton, on Wednesday, Feb. 25, at 2.30 P. M. Subject, "The Club Woman's Duty to the Woman in Business." Mrs. Agnes Mahan of the Business Women's League. A social hour will follow.

## Local Announcements

On Saturday, Feb. 14, the Newton Highlands Shakespeare Club will meet with Miss Alberta Crombie of Columbus street.

The Newton Highlands Monday Club meets with Miss Amanda Webster on Feb. 16.

On Monday afternoon the C. L. S. C. will meet with Mrs. Robert Clark of Erie avenue.

Mrs. Eleanor H. Woods will speak on "The Relation of Women's Clubs to Settlement Work" before the Bright-Helm Club on Feb. 6. The club holds an assembly on Wednesday evening under the auspices of the Music committee.

At the meeting of the Newtonville Woman's Guild on Tuesday, Feb. 17, Miss Edna Cowlishaw will give a dramatic reading and tea will be served by the Executive Board. The play given by members of the Guild, "The Twig of Thorns," will be repeated in the near future for the benefit of the Newton Hospital.

The meeting of the Social Science Club on Wednesday morning will be held in the Hunnewell Club Hall, when Mr. Henry Stewart will give an illustrated lecture on "The Shoe in All Ages and Places." The slides which will be used are loaned through the courtesy of the United Shoe Machinery Co. Guests may be invited.

The announcements for the Newton Centre Woman's Club for the coming week included an open meeting at the Mason School Hall on Tuesday afternoon, Feb. 17, at 3 o'clock, when Judge Harvey H. Baker will speak upon "The Juvenile Court." On Thursday, the 19th, at the same place and hour, Havran W. L. Hubbard will give the second of his Opera Talks.

## Local Happenings

The Newton Highlands Monday Club observed "Lincoln Day" on Feb. 9 at the home of Mrs. Beekman. The program was in charge of Mrs. H. W. Kimball, who gave some account of his life and characteristics and read his second Inaugural Address. Mrs. C. G. Wetherill read some of Lincoln's stories and read the poem written by Julia Ward Howe on the occasion of Lincoln's one-hundredth anniversary. Mrs. F. A. MacCallum read "Why Should the Spirit of Mortal be Proud?" "My Captain," by Walt Whitman was read by Mrs. C. D. Miller, and Lowell's "Commencement Ode" was read by Mrs. Henry C. Williams. Mrs. A. M. Tewksbury sang several groups of songs accompanied by Mrs. M. S. Wallace.

At the meeting of the Waban Woman's Club Mrs. Mary C. Collar, a club member, gave a most interesting talk on "John Synge, the Genius among Irish Playwrights," last Monday afternoon at the home of Mrs. William H. Gould. She said his dramas were taken from the lower classes of society as the agricultural and primitive Irish people show better the true racial traits. The speaker had chosen to speak about Synge rather than Yeats or Lady Gregory, because his works showed greater depth of reality, his style is so original and beautiful that it is destined to influence the English as well as Irish schools of drama. After discussing his language and style Mrs. Collar read in a charming way extracts from a few dramas and mentioned particularly the Playboy, probably the most talked of and best known of his plays. A social hour with tea closed a delightful afternoon.

On Monday afternoon the Newton Highlands C. L. S. C. held its meeting at the home of Mrs. W. S. Richards, who was also in charge of the work. The subject of "The Drama in America" was considered under two topics, the stage and the dramatists. American drama, she said may be said to have passed through three stages, the colonial, revolutionary and modern, and is still in its infancy as compared with some other countries. The organized business of the theater was never so prosperous as it is at the present day and the professional warfare of actors is much improved over former conditions. Among the American dramatists presented were Clyde Fitch, Edward Sheldon, Percy Mack-

aye and Josephine Preston Peabody Marks and some of their works were considered.

At the meeting of the Social Science Club on Wednesday morning Mrs. Butler R. Wilson, a colored woman of Boston, gave a convincing and pathetic plea for her people. Mrs. Wilson is the wife of the secretary of the Boston Branch of the National Association for the Advancement of the Colored People and she told what that organization is doing and desires for that people.

She said, "All they ask for is their freedom to be accepted as other nationalities are accepted in this country. They do not ask nor expect social recognition. No other race, unless it be the Jew, is so handicapped as is the negro. Their organization is looking for great help from the people of the North."

The club is taking its share in the poster campaign against alcoholism and posters were on sale at the meeting, the members being asked to post them upon their own premises.

The Newtonville Woman's Guild is also taking an active part in the poster campaign. There was a good attendance at the current events class on Tuesday morning and a most interesting and instructive talk was given by Mrs. Leila C. Pennock.

In stead of taking up the subject announced for the meeting of the Pioneer Club on Wednesday afternoon, Mrs. L. P. Everett read a letter written by a young man, who went to Ecuador on a business trip, describing the country and telling of the life among the Indians. It gave an insight into things that could have been gained from no amount of reading and proved a most interesting and enlightening addition to the year's program on South America. The usual social hour with refreshments followed.

## Mid-Winter Meeting of State Federation

The mid-winter convention of the Massachusetts State Federation of Women's Clubs was held at the Second Congregational Church in Dorchester, during whose administration the fund was inaugurated, made an earnest plea for the Massachusetts women to complete their quota, that our delegates may go to the next Biennial with pride of their State in their hearts, for Massachusetts has never failed to do her part in all great undertakings. In response to her appeal many pledges were made from the floor and a contribution was taken, which together resulted in adding \$1268 to the amount already reported, leaving but a little more than \$1500 to complete the full \$10,000.

The program of the afternoon was under the direction of the Literature department. Miss Angela Morgan, poet, read three of her own poems, "The House Wife's Hymn" and "God's Whim" and the audience were able to realize what may be the uplift and inspiration from the reading of poetry. Norman Hapgood followed with a strong address upon "The Social Significance of Contemporary Fiction and Drama." Mr. Hapgood prefaced his address with an analysis of some of the underlying facts of the present situation, particularly toward life and upon the industrial questions. The freeing of the laboring class and the freeing of women goes back to the matter of invention. With the invention of the printing press democracy became inevitable on that side. Steam brought an enormous mass of problems. Then turning to the thread of his subject, Mr. Hapgood brought three books of former times that had great influence upon historic events: Don Quixote, Emily, by Rousseau, and Uncle Tom's Cabin. No writer did as much to remove specific evils as Dickens. Victor Hugo's part was also mentioned. Of modern literature for the country, which shows the most genius, the first place must be given to Russia, next to Russia comes Germany. A great new force in drama came into the world with Ibsen. "Damaged Goods," the play concerning which there has been such varying opinion, he said, is the very embodiment of the spirit of our time. But the dramatists who most completely represent the social spirit of our day are Wells, Chesterton and John Galsworthy. There has been nothing done in America so significant as the work of these men. For a time in this country the magazines were playing an important part in the social uplift, but today the drama and the novel are coming to the front. He traced the evolution of the works of Winston Churchill and said that Mary Johnston's new novel "Hagar" is the embodiment of the new spirit of the time.

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Seldom have the Channing Church parlors presented a more attractive appearance than they did on Tuesday afternoon last as they were arranged for the Alliance Fair. Yellow, the color scheme, was carried out by means of festoons of paper flowers hanging from all the chandeliers and a frieze of the same from the archway between the rooms. The stage was lovely in its Japanese garden effect, and yellow jonquils on the tea tables continued the color scheme. The sales tables offered kimonos, bags and useful articles galore, while the candy and cake tables had an equally attractive showing of their wares. Tea was served during the afternoon and hot drinks and college ices during the evening. A steady stream of visitors came during the afternoon and a large number were there in the evening. The musical program, which was scattered along at intervals through the evening, included songs by Mr. H. P. Curtiss, a group of songs by Miss Helen Cram, accompanied by Miss Marjorie Holmes, readings by Mrs. Osborne of Newtonville, piano solo by Miss Newtonville, piano solo by Miss Holmes, songs by Mrs. Ralph C. Emery and two by Mr. Thomas F. Murray. The following ladies made up the committees: Kimonos and bags, Mrs. E. M. Moore, Mrs. Rees, Mrs. C. B. Beason, Mrs. A. C. Cummings, Mrs. C. H. Clark, Mrs. J. C. Gravatt, Mrs. Abraham Byfield and Mrs. Robert E. Mandell; Household, Mrs. Ella Field, Miss Abbie Davis, Mrs. Henry Kendall, Mrs. Frances A. Burt, Miss Whiting, Mrs. W. F. Garcelon, Mrs. Munn, Mrs. H. P. Curtiss, Mrs. E. W. Howe, Mrs. J. E. Alden, Mrs. Gage, Tea, Mrs. Harry Lutz, Miss Helen L. Wells, Mrs. R. C. Emery, Mrs. Freedom Hutchinson, Miss Jessie M. Fisher, Mrs. Little L. Grow; Decorations, Mrs. G. M. Nash, Mrs. C. S. Emmons, Mrs. O. M. Fisher, Mrs. R. C. Emery, Mrs. A. C. Cummings, Mrs. C. B. Beason, Mrs. Henry Kendall, Mrs. R. E. Mandell, Treasurer, Mrs. T. F. Murray. Much credit is due these ladies for making the affair both a social and financial success.

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Change of place and date of next meeting of the Home Circle. An all-day sewing meeting will be held on Friday, February 20, in the Congregational Church parlors, West Newton. Come at 9.30 sharp. Luncheon at noon. Particulars of Mrs. A. H. Kimball, 121 West Newton street, West Newton. Short business session.

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## Newton

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—Mr. E. E. Forsyth of Church street is recovered from his recent illness. Telephone MacLean, 725 North or anything in carpenter line. Adv. —Mrs. M. J. Pinkham is ill with pneumonia at her home on Richardson road.

—Mr. F. B. Chesbrough of Waverley avenue has gone on a business trip to the West.

—Miss Beatrice Woodman of Bellevue street is home from Smith College on a short stay.

—Mrs. James R. T. McCarroll of Riverside street leaves next week for sojourn at Bermuda.

—Miss Marie Cormier of Ossining, N. Y., is the guest of Miss Ruth Corrier of Walnut park.

—The Unitarian Club will hold a meeting Thursday evening in the parlors of Channing Church.

—A meeting of the church committee of Eliot Church was held Tuesday evening in the pastor's study.

—Miss Florence Hills of Vernon street has returned from a visit with relatives in Washington, D. C.

—Mr. Robert E. Mandell of Pemroke street left recently on an extended business trip to Mexico.

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—Mr. Arthur Kendrick of Hunneville avenue left Monday for Bermuda, where he will be a guest for several weeks.

—The meeting of the Monday Club was held this week at the residence of Mr. D. Fletcher Barber on Newtonville avenue.

—Mrs. Walter Woodman of Bellevue street is recovering from a surgical operation performed last week at a Boston hospital.

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—Professor Henry K. Rowe will give the 7th in the series of lectures Sunday at Eliot Church. The subject will be, "In the Home Country."

—Mr. Fred W. Hubbard entertained members of the Ivanhoe Dramatic Club, of which he is president, on Friday evening at his residence on Thornton street.

—Miss Walker of Centre street has issued invitations to the Glenside Club and their gentlemen friends to a Valentine Dancing Party, to be given at Garage Hall.

—Mr. and Mrs. Arthur H. Bailey are at The Spruces, Bedford, N. H. Mr. Bailey goes to Notre Dame Hospital, Manchester, on the 15th for a surgical operation.

—Miss Evelyn Converse of Park street and her aunt Miss Lee, who are sight-seeing in Italy, are at the Riviera this week. They do not expect to return before April.

—The Eight O'Clock Club will hold a meeting Wednesday evening at the residence of Mr. Walter H. Barker of Hyde avenue. Mr. Henry I. Harriman will be the essayist.

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—The Round-Table readings and discussions conducted by Rev. Harry A. Channing in the church parlors on the second and fourth Monday evenings of the month, will follow the chapters of Prof. Bliss Perry's recent book on "The American Mind," which is a study of its expression in American literature. The public invited.

—About 100 members of the Appalachian Mountain Club leave Saturday for Jackson, N. H., where they will be domiciled at the Iron Mountain House. Ten days will be passed in the enjoyment of mountain climbing and other winter sports. Among the members from Newton, who will participate, are Mr. and Mrs. Goldwin Sprague, the Misses Helen Cobb, Florence Elms, Rose Loring, Elizabeth Holmes and Miss Soule.

## Auburndale

—Mr. Ernest H. Gratto has plans ready for a new house on Chaske avenue.

—A meeting of the Woman's Guild of the Church of the Messiah will be held Monday afternoon in the parish room.

—Miss Hallett of 230 Woodland road left Monday and sustained a fractured hip. She was taken to the Newton Hospital.

—Miss Katherine Melody of Auburn street returns this week from a visit with her sister, Mrs. Thornton, of Woodhaven, Long Island, N. Y.

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Many brushes are needed in daily cleaning. A goodly stock of these ranks high in household helps. But it is in choosing the right shape and kind of brush that gives the most satisfaction.

Feather dusters are as good as nothing, because they merely remove the dust from one place and scatter it elsewhere.

But a room cannot be properly dusted without some brushes. A fairly large round one, about two and one-half inches across, with bristles three inches long, is invaluable for the dusty little ledges which are under tables and in carved or ornate furniture, round the mirror frames and in a thousand such places. Then a smaller brush of the same general shape, but with the bristles cut pointed, will clean out corners as nothing else can. If this brush is dipped into gasoline occasionally and then allowed to dry out well before using, it will take out the dust and the corners will not look so gray as they usually do.

For the white bathtub, a curved brush, with fairly stiff, short bristles is more satisfactory than a cloth. It does not scratch, and saves a great deal of rubbing, and a long handle on it also saves stooping.

In the kitchen near the sink may be kept two small, cheap scrubbing brushes, about four inches long; one marked "D" and the other "V," the first being for dishes, and the second for vegetables. Celery, rhubarb, the tops of apples and all sorts of food-stuffs can be quickly and thoroughly cleaned without the usual waste from scraping, and an occasional boiling keeps the brush clean. For greasy dishes, pots and pans, a small brush does wonders saving time and the usual scratching with knives.

A very large brush, or rather a very small broom, is also a most valuable help. It is called a "ceiling broom," and is the size of a child's toy, only with a very long handle, and is small enough to get into corners, thus saving getting down on the floor with a whisk to brush out the dust and threads. For sewing, living and dining rooms, it is especially useful, and being well made, will outlast an ordinary broom, which, anyway, is too cumbersome for such use.

—The annual meeting of the Alhambra Golf Club will be held next Monday evening at Hotel Max, Boston.

—Miss Hazel Chaffee was leader of the Christian Endeavor meeting Sunday evening at the Congregational Church.

—At the winter reunion this week of the 42nd Mass. Regiment, Mr. George M. Fiske was elected vice-president.

—A meeting of the Searchlight Club was held Monday evening at the residence of Miss Helen Baker on Central street.

—Members of the Christian Endeavor Society will give "A Mock Trial" on Monday evening, in the chapel at the Congregational Church.

—Dr. William K. Brooks, astronomer from Smith Observatory, Geneva, N. Y., gave illustrated lectures on Tuesday and Wednesday evening at Lasell Seminary.

—Arrangements have been completed for the pop-concert, which will be given for the benefit of the Church of the Messiah on Wednesday evening in Norumbega hall.

—Rev. D. J. Wholey of Roxbury entertained the members of his choir at a banquet at the Woodland Park Hotel, last week on Monday. Covers were laid for thirty.

—There will be an assembly Tuesday evening at the Newton Club. The program will include Mrs. Edwin P. Crane, Mrs. Raymond Tucker and Mrs. Louis I. Schreiner.

—Mr. Everett C. Dodge, aged 45, a former resident of this place, died Sunday at the Massachusetts General Hospital. The burial took place on Thursday at Gardner, Mass.



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It contains a double list of the principal residents, Map of Newton, streets, society matters, etc. Also the Diagrams of the Boston Theatres, halls, etc., and Harvard Stadium. There are a few for sale at Harrington's and at the office of the publishers, Boston Suburban Book Co., 1013 Old South Bldg., Boston.

### DIED

**DORSEY**—At Newton Centre, Feb. 9, Bridget, wife of Thomas Dorsey, aged 58 yrs., 6 mos., 13 dys.  
**EVANS**—At Newton Hospital, Feb. 7, Percy J. Evans, aged 14 yrs., 9 mos., 1 day.  
**GODSOE**—At Newton Highlands, Feb. 7, Charles W. Godse, aged 78 yrs., 3 mos., 25 dys.

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### DANCING PARTY

Mr. and Mrs. Harry L. Ayer en-  
tertained the members of the Supper-  
Dancing Club at a very novel dancing  
party on Saturday evening at the  
Brae-Burn Club, West Newton.

A progressive supper was served at  
small tables, which were attractively  
decorated with pink carnations and  
roses.

During the first part of the dance  
a unique feature was introduced,  
when a curtain, which had been hung  
across a side entrance to the ball-  
room, was drawn aside, disclosing the  
sign "Come into the Garden Maudie."

The gentlemen, responded to the  
invitation, and returned, masked, and  
arrayed in costumes representing In-  
dians, Chinamen and Africans, and  
wearing a variety of old-time hats,  
and stood in line, while the ladies  
selected their partners. "Over the  
Garden Wall."

The costumes had been placed in  
readiness for them, and with the dex-  
terity of lightning-change artists, they  
were transformed into the various  
types which they represented.

The orchestra then began to play,  
and the figures created great amuse-  
ment among the guests, it being an  
entire surprise to all present, and the  
beautiful gowns worn by the ladies  
were in striking contrast with their  
oddly clad partners.

In the second part of the dance, the  
curtain was again drawn aside, and the  
sign "Woman's Exchange" ap-  
peared, and the ladies, in turn, re-  
tired and re-appeared wearing masks  
and dresses in costumes representing  
Eastern girls, country girls in sun-  
bonnets and aprons, and Egyptian  
girls in Oriental costume, and dancing  
was resumed until midnight.

The party was one of the most en-  
joyable, which the Club has given,  
and the guests included members of  
society from Brookline and the  
Newtons.

### POLICE NOTES

At a meeting of the Newton branch  
of the Massachusetts Police Associa-  
tion held Friday afternoon at Police  
Headquarters, the following officers  
were elected: John McNeil, president;  
Edward Desmond, vice president, and  
John H. Shaughnessy, secretary and  
treasurer.

### NEWTON BOARD OF TRADE

(Continued from Page 1)

In certain parts of Newton a number  
of high-class industries that employ  
in the aggregate as I understand, no  
less than five thousand skilled wage  
earners. It is possible for you to  
add to this industrial group such in-  
dustries of the first class employing  
skilled labor as are properly adapted  
to your present industrial condition  
you should certainly make an organ-  
ized effort so to do.

"But you should at all times exer-  
cise great care that you do not bring  
into this community any class of busi-  
ness of a nature detrimental to your  
residential interests."

Mr. Martin said he was glad to know  
there are three co-operative banks in  
Newton. He believed that the co-op-  
erative bank will be a big factor of  
the future in making the wage work-  
er independent. He ridiculed the fact  
of certain philanthropists who have  
attempted to set up in certain commu-  
nities a wholly foreign and un-Ameri-  
can type of so-called model tenement  
life. On this point he said "the aver-  
age working man does not want chari-  
ty. He does appreciate an opportu-  
nity to make his life bigger and  
broader. He values his own inde-  
pendence and resents dictation as to  
his manner of living. Many a skilled  
worker earns as much money per  
week as does his more socially favor-  
able professional neighbor, and he natu-  
rally resents any assumption of  
class as to his condition."

Mr. Martin thought that co-opera-  
tive banks can be particularly useful  
to the wage worker in enabling him  
to make for himself a home, and he  
urged the support of these institutions  
in Newton.

Referring to the steam and street  
railway transportation problem in the  
Metropolitan District, Mr. Martin took  
up at some length the effort that has  
been made to secure the electrifica-  
tion of the suburban railway service.  
He stated that a comprehensive plan  
along this line had been developed by  
the engineering department of the N.  
Y. N. H. & H. Railroad, but that defi-  
nite work in this connection was aban-  
doned some five months ago owing to  
the depleted condition of the com-  
pany's treasury. The speaker said he  
was advised by the engineering de-  
partment of the road that it will cost  
\$25,000 per mile of single track to el-  
ectrify our suburban service. That it  
would cost \$850,000 to electrically  
equip the double track New Haven  
Line from the South Station to Cook  
street in Newton at point of junction  
with the Boston & Albany tracks. Mr.  
Martin discussed in detail the argu-  
ments that have been made in favor  
of extending the 5 cent street car zone,  
and gave figures showing the average  
5 cent zone from Boston to be about  
6 miles. He quoted the Elevated's  
claim that you can ride farther for 5  
cents in Boston than anywhere else  
in the world, approximately twenty  
miles, but pointed out that in New  
York a 5 cent ride of thirty miles is  
possible while in Chicago an even  
greater distance is available at this  
fare.

Mr. Martin said it is estimated by  
the Elevated that a passenger can be  
carried five miles for five cents at a  
profit to the company of one-half cent.  
He thought the company would stren-  
uously oppose any effort to substan-  
tially extend the present 5 cent lim-  
it. On this point in relation to New-  
ton, he said that it is argued as  
against a five cent fare, that it brings  
into a community the three apartment  
house, and a cheaper class of popula-  
tion. Such a result in a place like  
Newton would, in the opinion of the  
speaker be detrimental to the particu-  
lar line of development that has made  
of Newton an ideal place in which to  
live.

The meeting which followed Mr.  
Martin's address was most interest-  
ing.  
Committees were authorized upon  
holding a mass meeting in the near  
future of electrification of the B. & A.  
railroad, to attend the meetings of  
the board of aldermen, to induce de-  
sirable industries to locate in New-  
ton, for civic betterment, to inaugu-  
rate a credit system for each part of  
the city, and to demand that the city  
government provide a location for a  
shoe manufacturing in this place.  
An invitation was received and ac-  
cepted from the Newton Opera House  
to attend the performance on Feb. 24.

### SURPRISED WITH GIFT

Mr. Charles B. Lentell, the former  
road master of the Boston & Albany  
railroad, and who retired last October  
from active service, was agreeably and  
completely surprised last Tuesday  
evening at his home on Boylston  
street, Newton Highlands, by a dele-  
gation of ten of his former associates  
in the road department, and presented  
him with a handsome quartered oak  
roll top desk and chair to match. Mr.  
Lentell was connected with the rail-  
road for forty-five years and was in  
full charge of the separation of grade  
crossings in this city.

### "THE SECOND COMING OF CHRIST"

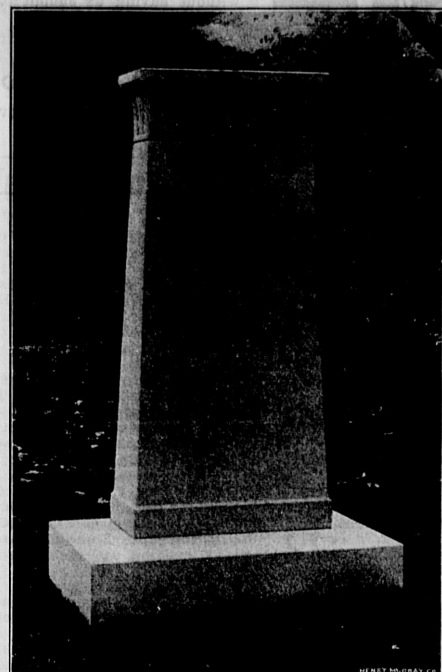
In a lecture on this subject, Rev.  
Geo. S. Wheeler, of Providence, R. I.,  
spoke last Sunday evening in the  
Church of the New Jerusalem at New-  
tonville. He said:

"The problem of what constitutes  
the 'Second Coming of Christ' is in  
reality the question of which is first,  
spirit or matter? Which is supreme,  
which is the real, the abiding, the liv-  
ing; that which is spiritual, or that  
which is material? If this question  
is truthfully answered, it discloses  
the nature of the second coming; and  
in this connection the nature and form  
of His first coming is not without a  
great significance. The whole of the  
Old Testament pointed forward to the  
Incarnation, and foretold that the  
Messiah would be the 'son of David', a  
'King', and that He was to sit upon  
the throne of David. The rejection  
of Christ by the Jews was because He  
refused any literal fulfillment of these  
prophecies, and repeatedly declared  
His kingdom was not of this world.  
Even His disciples wavered; indeed,  
so tenacious was their hold upon this  
materialistic view of His mission, that  
He finally told them it was expedient  
that He should go away from them as  
to His bodily presence, so that the  
spirit of truth, His larger presence,  
could come to them and teach them  
the reality. The entire work of the  
Incarnation was the spiritual work  
upon the minds and hearts of men,  
subduing evil and imparting to men  
the kingdom of heaven, which was  
'within' them spiritually, and not with-  
out them objectively."

"History repeats itself in regard to  
Christ's second coming. A large part  
of the Christian Church has estab-  
lished firmly in mind the form of the  
second coming to be material, in  
physical body, with all the specta-  
cular accompaniments of clouds, trum-  
pets, angels and falling stars; but  
such coming would be wholly inade-  
quate to express the declared purpose,  
or to fulfill the prophecies in regard  
to it. We must realize that His as-  
cent into heaven was not a material  
ascent in physical body. The elements  
of His physical body were dis-  
sipated in the tomb. The body was  
not there. After His resurrection He  
was seen by the disciples only in His  
spiritual body on the spiritual plane.  
—the angels seen were the angels of  
heaven, beings on the spiritual plane.  
The disciples were themselves spiri-  
tual beings having spiritual eyes  
opened to that plane. The cloud hid-  
ing Heaven from their sight was a  
cloud of heaven, not a cloud of mist  
in our sky. Remembering that the  
Lord spoke always in parable, using  
natural terms to convey spiritual  
ideas, we can understand that His use  
of the natural terms and phenomena  
mentioned, was to represent and fore-  
tell the spiritual conditions which  
should precede His second coming,—  
the waning love of God in men's  
hearts, the dimming of understanding  
and faith in His wisdom, the increas-  
ing grossness of men's knowledge  
concerning God and heaven,—then  
should He appear in the 'Clouds of  
heaven'. The Christian Church has  
passed through the climax of this ma-  
terialism. The 'dark ages' have been.  
And now the Lord has already made  
the descent of His second coming in  
the 'Clouds of Heaven'. These 'clouds'  
are the terms of the letter of the  
Word of God, formed and lifted out  
of the imperfect human experience  
and thought of men, to give such  
clothing as would at once reveal and  
conceal the infinite love, wisdom and  
truth of the Divine presence in its  
graduations of merciful adaptation to  
man's need, revealing what is neces-  
sary for reformation and salvation,  
yet concealing from man that great  
ocean of Divine wisdom for His de-  
velopment on interior spiritual planes,  
that would be abused before man was  
prepared to understand and make use  
of it."

"The second coming is the revela-  
tion of His full Divine presence in the  
Word as its soul and life, by opening  
the symbol of the letter, and laying  
bare to the rational minds of men the  
spiritual content of the Divine pres-  
ence as it relates to all states and  
phases of man's development to an-  
gelhood; thus it is His full spiritual  
coming to the souls, the minds and  
hearts of all men."

"In laying bear His full presence in  
the Word, as in its formation, He  
works by means of human instrumen-  
talities. He manifested himself be-  
fore that wonderful 'servant of the  
Lord Jesus Christ', Emmanuel Swe-  
denborg, illuminating his rational  
mind and filling him with the Divine  
presence, that he might make clear  
to the rational comprehension of men  
from the Word itself, the Divine of  
God which is its soul and life. This  
revelation was made from 1749 to  
1771. It was made by no sensible  
signs and miracles, but it is effected  
by the rational presentation to men  
of their own self-attesting simplicity and  
power. This interior Divine presence  
and truth in the Word proves and  
demonstrates itself as fact to the spiri-  
tual mind. Since this opening of the



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ful transformation here on earth,  
whereby He is gradually making 'all  
things new.'"

### LASEL REUNION

The annual mid-winter reunion of  
the former students at Lasell Sem-  
inary, Auburndale, was held Monday  
afternoon, and more than 200 returned  
to take part in the affair. Following  
the reception a luncheon was served.  
Short addresses were made by Dr.  
Guy M. Winslow and Miss Lillie R.  
Potter. One of the features of the af-  
ternoon was the singing by the Lasell  
Glee Club, assisted by the guests, of a  
new song which has recently been  
composed and dedicated to the mem-  
bers of the alumnae. Miss Charlotte  
Joseph, a member of this year's class,  
rendered several vocal selections.

### VALENTINE BRIDGE

Mrs. Ralph E. Hatch and Miss  
Emma Newhall of West Newton were  
the hostesses at a Valentine bridge  
party on Wednesday afternoon at the  
Newton Club.  
Thirty tables were arranged in the  
dance hall and the game was auction  
bridge.  
Refreshments were served in the  
dining-room and the pourers were  
Mrs. George W. Newhall and Mrs.  
William Baker. The table was decora-  
ted with Valentine emblems.

### LODGES

Betsy Ross Lodge, N. E. O. P., en-  
tertained a large gathering of friends  
Monday evening in Elliot hall at a  
whist and dancing party. The winners  
of whist were Mrs. Louise Sennott,  
Mrs. William Lacey, John Fanning and  
Arthur Wright. The committee in  
charge of the affair comprised P. H.  
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## SCHOOL EXPENSES TOO LARGE

Civic Club of Newton Discusses This Question At Annual Meeting

The annual meeting of the Civic Club of Newton composed of gentlemen, who have been elected to the city government, past and present, was held at the Harvard Club of Boston, on Wednesday evening. Nearly one hundred members and guests were present and the meeting was one of the most enjoyable for years.

President Matt B. Jones was toastmaster, and at the head table with him were the principal speakers of the evening, Dr. F. E. Spaulding, Supt. of Schools, and President Arthur W. Blakemore of the board of aldermen.

The subject for discussion was the question, "Are we paying too much for schools in Newton?"

President Jones said: "The first year I was fortunate enough to be President of the Newton Board of Aldermen we settled the school question, at least we thought we did. The next year afterwards it reappeared. It is something like the old fellow who was ordered to quit work. His employer sent him a letter notifying him to quit work on the following Saturday night, and he did quit. On the following Thursday, however, he put in an ap-

## POP CONCERT

Excellent Entertainment Given At Temple Hall, Newtonville

The pop concert given last Friday night at Temple hall, Newtonville, for the benefit of the Parish House Fund of St. John's Church was a financial success before the doors opened, every one of the hundred tables having been sold in advance. And those who attended were unanimous that the affair was a success from every other point of view, after hearing the excellent music, laughing at the splendid vaudeville and enjoying the dancing which followed the more formal program.

The hall was attractively decorated in red and the young ladies who served as waitresses and candy girls, wore red ornaments in their hair and red hearts on their sleeves in honor of St. Valentine. While the guests were being served with refreshments, the committee on entertainment, Mrs. C. A. Cunningham and Mr. Cheney L. Hatch provided a program consisting of music by the orchestra, songs by Mr. Derby Brown, and Mrs. G. Bartlett Willard and a solo dance by Mrs. Anna Eastman Frost. Mr. Edwin M. Sumner, who was billed as having "just returned from abroad, where he appeared before quite a number of crowned heads and bald heads innumerable" made the biggest hit of the evening and if his performance last Friday is any criterion of what he did "abroad" it is a safe gamble that all the "crowned heads" are laughing yet.

Mr. Sumner was also one of the "Street Singers of Tokio," who sang several selections quite acceptably, notwithstanding the "disguise" of enormous and highly colored whiskers. The other "singers" were Messrs. E. L. Avery, Howard and Derby Brown. A colonial minuet danced by eight young lads and lassies received great and deserved applause. Those taking part wore the effective costumes of their great grand parents, wigs and all and made a pretty picture as they danced to this most beautiful music. They were Hope Crocker, Eleanor Lyon, Florence Malcolm, Mary Dame, Wallace Richmond, Sumner Dame, Earl Russell and George B. H. Macomber, Jr.

Dancing followed until midnight. The committee on arrangements consisted of Mrs. Fred B. Young, Mrs. Harry W. Crocker, and Mrs. Cheney L. Hatch. Miss Frances Richardson was in charge of the refreshments and was assisted by the Misses Irene Atkinson, Gladys Avery, Elizabeth Bagot, Grace Clark, Florence Corey, Martha Condit, Dorothy Cunningham, Helen Cunningham, Mary Elliot, Alice Fessenden, Margaret Freeman, Ethel Gammons, Edith Gibson, Julia Kyle, Ruth Nicholson, Marie Nutt, Edith Park, Lillian Purdy, Florence Smith, Ethel Weeks, Eleanor West, Eleanor Vinson.

Miss Hackett was in charge of the flowers, assisted by Beth Crocker, Katherine Knowles, Kate Wheelock, Edith Gardner and Elizabeth Starkweather.

Miss Smith was in charge of the candy table and was assisted by Helen Shelton, Mildred Daniels, Gwendolyn Montague, Virginia Eddy and Vera Montague.

## TRAIN SERVICE

Hearing On Discontinuance of Express Trains From Newton Highlands

Vice Pres. Campbell of the New Haven Railroad, before the Public Service Commission last week, made answer to the complaint of the residents of Newton Highlands, Needham, Ashland and Hopkinton, who seek increased passenger train service to and from Boston.

Mr. Campbell pointed out that the cancellation of the agreement between the New Haven and the Boston & Albany roads carried with it the restoration of conditions existing before the agreement was made, and the taking off of many trains that were feasible under the traffic agreement.

The difficulty with a great deal of the passenger traffic in this territory, including that of the two circuits now under consideration, is that the rates are so low and the volume of business so small that it does not pay for the service required by the public.

A record made for seven days, November 21st to 27th, 1913, of 16 trains (8 each way) operated by the New Haven over the Boston & Albany between Boston and Newton Highlands, showed average earnings of 33c and 60c per train mile outbound from and inbound to Boston respectively. The earnings ranged from 10c per train mile at the lowest to 60c per train mile at the highest in one direction and from 15 cents to \$1.15 per train mile in the other.

Also for the period of two weeks in September, 1913, the record of 13 trains showed an average of 30 and 32c per train mile, ranging from 20 to 67c per mile in one direction and 4c to \$1.09 per mile in the other.

Petitioners of Newton Highlands over that the discontinuance of this service would deprive the people of Newton Highlands daily of eight (8) trains running into Boston, express from Newton Highlands and eight (8) trains running to Newton Highlands, express from Boston, or a very material part of the total present service of Newton Highlands, and petitioners of Hopkinton and Ashland ask that the New Haven railroad be required to continue to operate said trains running from Franklin through Hopkinton and Ashland to Boston, etc."

The Needham Business Association and Board of Trade protesting against withdrawal of the service to and from Boston via Newton Highlands, states among other things, that three-fourths of the traffic on said circuit is owned by the New Haven and one-fourth by the Boston & Albany. Inasmuch as the petition in this case is for a continuance of the service to and from Boston via Newton Highlands, it is only fair to point out but only 28 per cent, instead of 75 per cent of the traffic involved is owned by the New Haven road, and 72 per cent, by the Boston & Albany; the total distance from Needham to Boston via Newton Highlands being 12.45 miles, 3 1-2 miles of which is New Haven and 8.95 miles Boston & Albany.

Of the total business hauled on the Newton Highlands circuit trains to and from Boston, 30 per cent, was local to Boston & Albany, and 55 per cent, Needham, Needham Heights and Needham Junction. Newton Highlands is served by the rails of the Boston & Albany and the New Haven submits that the obligation to provide service to and from Boston over rails of the Boston & Albany for these communities does not rest with it. It therefore, confines the demand, so far as the Newton Highlands Circuit is concerned, to the town of Needham.

He said further: "It is needless to say that the New Haven management

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## TRIANGULAR MEET

Newton High Easily Defeats Brookline and Cambridge

The triangular track meet last Friday night at the High School gymnasium between Cambridge, Brookline and Newton attracted a large number of friends of the different schools and who showed their interest and enthusiasm throughout the evening. Newton had a walk over winning easily with a total of 50 1-2 points, Brookline, second with 19, and Cambridge, last with 2 1-2.

Newton won first place in every event except the 30-yard dash, shotput and hurdles, but in each of these it scored three or more points.

The 1000-yard run was the real thriller of the meet, Rogers and Dowd, both of Newton, running almost side by side. Within a few inches of the tape Rogers took the lead and finished first. O'Neill ran away from the entire field in the 300-yard run after taking the lead at the first corner.

Roberts, Newton High's leading all-around athlete, was the star of the meet, scoring 15 of his school's points. He won the high jump, tied with Sullivan of Brookline for first place in the 30-yard dash and won a position in the shotput and hurdles. The summary:

30-yard Dash—Roberts, Newton and Sullivan, Brookline, tied for first; Smith, Brookline, third. Time 3 4-5s.

1000-Yard Run—Won by Rogers, Newton; Dowd, Newton, second; Beals, Newton, third. Time 2m 30 4-5s.

Shotput—Won by Dussossoit, Brookline, distance, 41ft. 3in.; Roberts, Newton, second, distance, 40ft. 10in.; Ward Cambridge Latin, and Brady, Newton, tied for third, distance, 39ft. 8in.

300-Yard Run—Won by O'Neill, Newton; Holt, Newton, second; Twiss, Brookline, third. Time, 37 4-5s.

600-Yard Run—Won by Ide, Newton; Stebbins, Newton, second; Doyle Cambridge Latin, third. Time, 1m. 24s.

High Jump—Won by Roberts, Newton; West, Newton, second; Pierce, Newton, third; Height, 5ft. 4in.

30-Yard Hurdles—Won by Dussossoit, Brookline; Roberts, Newton, second; Litchfield, Newton, third. Time, 4 1-5s.

Relay Race—Won by Newton (Litchfield, Adams, Ide, Dowd); Brookline (Sullivan, Lally, Smith, Twiss), second; Cambridge Latin (Jones, Darling, Couthlin, Doyle), third. Time, 2m. 28 1-5s.

## POINT SUMMARY

	Newton	Brookline	Cambridge
30-yard run	4	5	0
1000-yard run	9	0	0
Shotput	3 1/2	5	1 1/2
300-yard run	8	1	0
600-yard run	8	0	1
High jump	9	0	0
30-yard hurdles	4	5	0
Relay race	5	3	1
Totals	50 1/2	19	2 1/2

The officials of the meet were: referee, William McPherson, Y. M. C. A.; starter H. C. McGrath, Boston; Judges at finish, M. H. Stone, Newton, W. F. Chase, West Newton, William E. Adams, Ex. M. I. T., Mr. Maxim, Newton; Timers, L. Kurr, Newton; A. S. Jones, Harvard; F. Kanally, M. I. T.; E. Ellison, Harvard; Field Judges, Seth A. Woods, Y. M. C. A.; J. S. Irving, Newton; Clerks of Course, Dr. Oscar Martin, Amherst; R. MacClellan, Tufts; Inspectors at corners, William Macpherson, Y. M. C. A.; R. Bancroft, Harvard; L. Van Buskirk, Newton; A. Toulon, Boston; Announcer, C. H. Faith, M. I. T.; Scorer, A. W. Dickinson, Brown.

In Counting the Cost. The cost of experience is seldom put down in expense lists.

## Examination and Audit

OF THE

## NEWTON TRUST COMPANY

The Stockholders Committee after examining the affairs of the company at the close of business, January 12, 1914, reported that

"After having made a complete examination and audit of the books and affairs of the Trust Company, with the assistance of Messrs. Ewer & Neal, certified public accountants, we are glad to report that in our opinion the Company is in a most prosperous condition. It appears to be free from all doubtful assets and to merit the steady and substantial growth which it has enjoyed during the past year."

HENRY H. KENDALL,  
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## A MEMORIAL DEDICATION

Newton Y. M. C. A. Building Dedicated At Memorial Service For Mr. Frank A. Day

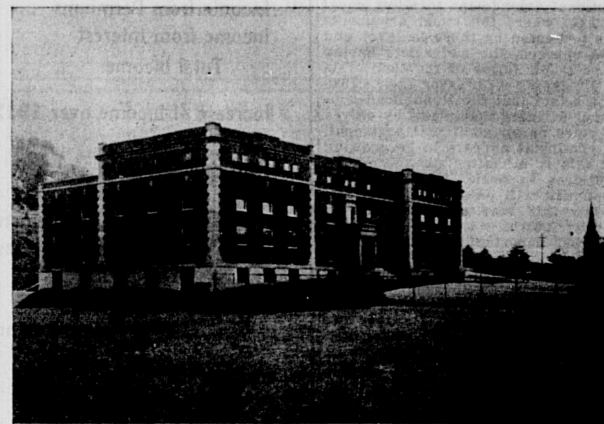
The new building of the Newton Y. M. C. A. was formally dedicated last evening with appropriate exercises and was given a most impressive touch by joining with the dedicatory services a memorial to the late Frank A. Day, to whose efforts and generosity, the Association and the community is greatly indebted. While the building was finished in 1911 and put in use at that time, the debt was not paid off until about two months ago, and has never been formally turned over to the Association.

The program last night included re-

a bronze memorial to Mr. Day in the reading room, by Mr. Charles E. Riley, for the trustees.

In accepting the keys from Mr. Clark, president Emery reminded the audience that it was Mr. Clark, who saved the Association from disbanding some fifteen years ago, and expressed his conviction that Mr. Clark had rendered the community a greater service at that time than by his unbounded generosity in regard to the new building.

The memorial to Mr. Day was the gift of the trustees and consists of a



THE NEWTON Y. M. C. A. BUILDING

marks by President Allan C. Emery of the Association, a memorial address on Mr. Day by Hon. George Hutchinson, ex-mayor of Newton and which is given in full below, scripture reading by Rev. H. Grant Person of Eliot Church, dedicatory address by Mayor Edwin O. Childs, dedicatory prayer by Rev. Laurens MacLure, rector of the Grace Church, a violin solo by Miss Cecelia Bradford, presentation of the keys of the building by Mr. James E. Clark, representing the trustees and the Building committee, and their acceptance by President Emery, a word of greeting by Mr. E. W. Hearne, state secretary of the Y. M. C. A., the singing of America, and the unveiling of

bronze tablet placed on the mantel over the fireplace with the following inscription:

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Among those present were H. J. Woods, president of the association from 1881 to 1884; D. Fletcher Barber (Continued on Page 5)

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## EDITORIAL

The selection of Mayor Edwin O. Childs to deliver the dedicatory address at the Newton Y. M. C. A. last evening was most appropriate. No man in Newton has done so much personal work for the boys and young men as Mayor Childs, and no one has a keener interest in all matters concerning the youth of the city.

The attendance at the meeting of the Civic Club testifies to the general interest taken by our thinking citizens in the matter of school expenses. The general sentiment seemed to be that Newton was spending more than it could afford in maintaining its present school system.

### UNDER THE GILDED DOME

The most important hearings this week were those on the proposed constitutional amendment to allow equal suffrage, where the usual arguments were presented by those in favor and those opposed, the suffragists having the party platforms of the Democrats and Progressives to favor their cause and the fact that the Republican convention defeated that plank by only a few votes as an additional argument. The sentiment appears to be growing that this is a matter for the people themselves to settle and that the amendment will pass the Legislature, possibly this year and assuredly in the near future.

Another important hearing was that on the abolition of party enrollment as a prerequisite to voting in the primary elections. Speaker Cushing characterized this matter as essentially dishonest and came pretty near hitting the nigger on the head. If parties are to continue to govern this country, it is absolutely necessary that the policies and the candidates of the various parties shall be determined by men who believe in the party principles. To allow Tom, Dick and Harry to select the weakest candidates of the party they did not intend to support, would invite political chaos. It is highly probable, however, that the so-called political reformers will carry their point, and Massachusetts will embark on a political experiment, which will lead no one knows whither.

Newton is interested in the action taken in the House yesterday when our city charter came very near being amended so as to change our method of electing aldermen at large, so that only one should be elected in that manner instead of two, as at present. The committee on cities had reported adversely on the measure which is fathered by Alderman John W. Murphy of Nonantum, and which is designed, simply and solely, to increase the Democratic representation in the board of aldermen by two or three members. Alderman Murphy proved himself some lobbyist by inducing the Democrats in the House to make this a party measure, and was only defeated in substituting the bill for the adverse report of committee by a tie vote, 105 to 105. Speaker Cushing making the vote a tie when the members had voted 105 to 104 to substitute. Representative Bothfeld led the fight against substitution, and Representative Hurley of Marlboro was in charge of the Democrats. The fact that Newton has had a most excellent city government under the present system for sixteen years cuts no figure with the Democratic party. The election of a Democrat is of vastly more importance to them than good, clean city government.

The bill to make New Year's Day a holiday, which passed the House by a substantial majority, was effectively killed yesterday in the Senate, receiving only eight yeas.

Another matter of some importance to Newton was passed yesterday by the House when by a majority of about 100 it accepted the bill to give city laborers two weeks' vacation without loss of pay in each year. The bill has a referendum which may make it a little more reasonable than the mandatory feature of its first draft, but as it does not attempt to define a "city laborer," there will be some difficulty in determining just whom is entitled to this vacation, if accepted by the city. Every man who works for the city for one day, is a city laborer. I think it is safe to say that not over a dozen men, classed as city laborers, work continuously through the year. The majority of men working for the city are employed about 200 days, and if they are to be included in the vacation plan, it simply means a donation of \$25 or more to each man on the pay roll. No reasonable tax payer will object to a vacation to men who are regularly employed by the year, but the possibility of a city laborer's vacation is a great deal more than a city laborer's vacation.

### Two Washington's Birthday Presents

A bill to save Valley Forge and Sulgrave manor dedicated as a permanent memorial.

### Cleaning the Cellar of Boston

Underground lodgings in the West End to be uprooted by the Woman's Municipal League.

### The Tapestry Town

The unsuspected wealth in woven cloth in Boston's private and public collections.

## Boston

## Transcript

Saturday, Feb. 21, 1914

# John Hancock

## MUTUAL LIFE INSURANCE COMPANY

### OF BOSTON, MASSACHUSETTS

## SYNOPSIS OF ANNUAL STATEMENT, 1913

Gross Admitted Assets (market values) **\$102,157,404**  
Policy Reserves and Other Liabilities **97,106,602**  
Unassigned Funds (Mass. standard) **5,050,802**  
Unassigned Funds (N. Y. standard) **7,883,844**  
Increase of Assets **9,693,482**

Income from Premiums **25,237,030**  
Income from Interest **4,529,357**  
Total Income **\$29,766,387**

Increase of Income over 1912 **2,086,457**

Paid Policyholders  
For Death Claims **\$7,306,968**  
For Matured Endowments **461,666**  
For Surrendered Policies and Dividends **4,065,968**

Total Policy Payments **\$11,834,602**

Increase in Policy Payments **1,328,356**

Added to Reserves **10,681,239**

New Insurance Paid For **119,804,498**

Total Outstanding Insurance Dec. 31st **708,605,288**  
(Paid for Basis)

The business of 1913 was conducted successfully and at a continued saving. The expense ratio of 1913 is 5.48% less than that of 1907, representing a total saving since that date of over \$4,750,000.

### A substantial increase in returns to policyholders was provided for during the year.

In the weekly Premium Branch, to prepare for this increase, a final extra sum of over TWO MILLION DOLLARS was added to the policy reserves, completing the change to a higher reserve basis as authorized by law.

There was also set aside in liabilities, in addition to the regular amount reserved for dividends on these policies, extra reserve to provide for a 25 per cent increase in the cash dividends for 1914, and further:

An extra reserve to provide for mortuary additions, making the insurance benefits on the old policies which are expected to become death claims in 1914, equal to those of the present scale. This means that the Company expects and is prepared to pay to these policyholders in 1914, \$600,000 more than their policies call for.

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## Upper Falls

At 7.30 Sunday morning an alarm was rung in from box 616 for a fire in a store at 1924 and 1926 Chestnut street, owned by E. Burofsky. It is thought to have been caused by some of the goods becoming ignited by a spark from a wire connected with an arc light. Damage was caused mostly by smoke and chemical as the fire was soon extinguished.

At the Methodist E. Church Sunday morning at 10.45 Rev. W. M. Gilbert of the Morgan Memorial Church, Boston, will bring a message from the Indianapolis Convention. At 4.30 the Harvard Choir of 21 voices under the direction of Professor Davison of Harvard University will furnish the music for the Vesper Service. The sermon will be by the pastor, Rev. J. T. Carleton will be on the Harvard Seal, "Pro Christo et Ecclesiae Veritas."

The Mayor of Newton, the Honorable Edwin O. Childs will speak to the Christian Endeavor at 6 o'clock.

Mr. John H. Smith died suddenly at his home at 1127 Chestnut street, Monday morning. Mr. Smith was 59 years of age and was born at Wareham, Mass., but came here thirty years ago to take charge of the Adams Express Office, which position he held until his death. He was a member of the Royal Arcanum and the United Workmen, which attended in a body at the funeral. Mr. Smith is survived by a wife and three sons. Funeral services were held Wednesday morning at the Church of Mary Immaculate of Lourdes at 10 o'clock, solemn high mass being celebrated by Rev. T. J. Danahy, assisted by Rev. E. D. Daly of Jamaica Plain as deacon, Rev. Father Crowley of Wellesley Academy as sub-deacon, and Rev. D. H. Donovan as master of ceremonies. Burial was at Needham Cemetery.

Subscribers of the Graphic are receiving a couple of fine pencils when subscription bills are paid. Have you received yours?

## Auburndale

NEWTON CO-OPERATIVE BANK. 52nd series opens in March. 5% interest paid.

Mr. Roy Miller gave a cabaret show Saturday evening at his home on Grove street.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Young of Lexington street have returned from a visit to Long Island, N. Y.

Rev. George S. Butters, D.D., is the chaplain for February of the Boston Methodist Preachers' Association.

A party of High School boys and girls enjoyed a sleigh ride Friday evening conducted by Mr. Francis McGill.

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Mr. George Lockwood of this village has been awarded scholarship honors at Yale college for the first half year of the freshman class.

The girls of the Junior Auxiliary of the Church of the Messiah will give scenes from the "Midsummer Night's Dream," Saturday evening, February 21, in the Parish House at 7.30.

Rev. H. M. Penniman of Berea, Ky., gave a very brilliant, patriotic, instructive and historical address on "The Two Civilizations of America in Connection with Cabin Life of Abraham Lincoln's Kin," at the meeting of the Auburndale Brotherhood held Wednesday evening in the Congregational chapel.

The Christian Endeavor Society held an interesting meeting Sunday evening at the Congregational Church on the topic, "Why Every One Should Sign a Temperance Pledge." Mr. Nelson H. Cardwell was the leader. A special musical program was given under the direction of Mrs. May Sleeper Ruggles assisted by Liederheim pupils.

## Newton Centre

Mr. L. A. Brownell of Beacon street is ill with pneumonia.

Mrs. Moore of Summer street gave a reception on Tuesday evening.

## NEWTON CLUB

These officers were elected at the annual meeting last Saturday: President, Mr. Charles E. Riley; Vice-Presidents, Hon. Samuel L. Powers, Hon. John A. Penno, Frank L. Nagle, James L. Richards, W. J. Follett; Secretary, Hartley W. Thayer, M.D.; Treasurer, William T. Halliday; Executive Committee, Horton S. Allen, Edgar S. Barker, Albert P. Carter, Henry J. Nichols, Fred E. Mann, Harold O. Hunt, M.D., Charles B. Somers, William C. Bangburgh, Charles H. Vee, D.D.S., W. D. Follett, Albert M. Lyon, George H. B. Macomber; House Committee, George H. B. Macomber, Chairman, E. S. Barker, Horton S. Allen; Entertainment Committee, Fred E. Mann, Chairman; Billiards and Pool Committee, Charles B. Somers, Chairman; Art, Library and Publicity Committee, William C. Bangburgh, Chairman; Finance Committee, Albert M. Lyon, Chairman; Legal Committee, A. P. Carter, Chairman; Bowling Committee, Charles H. Vee, D.D.S., Chairman; Membership Committee, Harold O. Hunt, M.D., Chairman; Reception Committee, W. D. Follett, Chairman; Auditing Committee, Henry J. Nichols, Chairman.

### THE STUDIO BEAUTIFUL

Mr. Wilbert E. Marshall, the proprietor of the well-known Litchfield Studio of Arlington, announces in another column the opening of his new studio, Brattle Building, Harvard Square, Cambridge. This is of decided interest to people of this section, who have insisted on Litchfield Studio photographs, but found the long journey to Arlington rather irksome.

The rooms, said to be the finest in New England, were carefully planned to include every known improvement in photographic equipment, and are most artistic in arrangement, and furnishings. Visitors are cordially welcomed.

The Marshall Studio is directly opposite the subway exit at Harvard Square, with elevator service to the atelier.

## NEWTON COOPERATIVE BANK

Statement to Bank Commissioners, October 13, 1913

Real Estate Loans	\$809,000.00	Dues Capital	\$693,369.00
Share Loans	11,025.00	Profits Capital	106,862.96
Mortgages	2,500.00	Guaranty and Surplus Funds	21,206.80
Real Estate	1,888.70	Sundries	8,702.23
Sundries	1,048.41		
Cash	4,408.88		
	\$829,849.60		\$829,849.60

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Meetings at Newtonville First Tuesday each month

## Newton Centre

NEWTON CO-OPERATIVE BANK. 52nd series opens in March. 5% interest paid.

Arthur Pierson of Beacon street is recovering from a recent operation.

Master Irving King of Ward street is ill with a slight attack of the grip.

Mr. Charles Jorgensen of Warren street is ill at his home with tonsillitis.

Miss C. E. Risteen of Brooklyn, N. Y., is visiting her sister on Centre street this week.

Miss Frances Brazier of Oxford road gave a birthday party to her friends on the evening of February 12. The Amherst Glee Club will give an entertainment followed by dancing, on Saturday evening in Bray Hall.

Next Sunday evening in the Unitarian Church there will be an address by Mrs. Rose Pastor Stokes of New York.

Mr. and Mrs. Alden Wheeler have returned to their home on Grafton street, after spending Sunday in New Hampshire.

Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Tilton who have been snowed out of New Hampshire have returned to their home on summer street.

In the Mason School Hall on Tuesday at 3 o'clock, a lecture was given by Judge Harvey N. Baker on "Our Juvenile Courts."

Mr. and Mrs. George F. Richardson have returned to their home on Marshall street, after a few days' visit to New Hampshire.

Rev. Galusha Anderson, D.D., will speak on "George Washington" at the evening service of the First Baptist Church, next Sunday.

The Camp Fire Girls, under the direction of Miss Abigail Smith, held a cake and candy sale on Thursday afternoon, at the First Church.

On Sunday morning Rev. James DeNormandie, D.D., of Roxbury, will preach in exchange with Mr. Robinson, at the Unitarian Church.

The Further Missionary Society of the First Church met at the home of Miss Marian Taylor, of 27 Crystal street, on Tuesday afternoon at 4 o'clock.

Mr. George S. Smith will speak on "Christian Ideals in Modern Business Organization," at the Young Men's class at the Congregational Church, Sunday noon.

Misses Alice and Genevieve Bally of Warren street gave a Valentine party to several of their friends at Hotel Coolidge, Brookline, on Saturday evening.

Next Tuesday will be the "All Day" session for the ladies of the Methodist Church in the church parlors. At noon there will be served a basket lunch.

The meeting of the Men's Club of the First Church was held last Monday. Supper was served at 6.15. Mayor Edwin O. Childs was the speaker of the evening.

There is to be a Suffrage Tea and sale of cake, candy and flowers next Friday afternoon at 2 o'clock, at the home of Mrs. A. C. Burnham, 15 Bracebridge road. Music at 4 o'clock.

The monthly social of the First Church was a "book social." Each person was requested to come prepared to represent the title of a book. Light refreshments were served.

Announcement cards report the arrival of Virginia Gibbons, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Charles B. Gibbons, Seattle, Wash. Mrs. Gibbons was Miss Gertrude Knapp, daughter of W. O. Knapp, formerly of Warren street.

The monthly meeting of the Unitarian Club of Newton, was held in the Unitarian Church last evening. Dinner was served at 6.30, followed by an address from Supt. E. Spaulding of the Newton Public Schools.

Last Wednesday evening at the Methodist Church the regular monthly social and entertainment was given by the ladies. After a bountiful supper had been eaten, the guests all assembled in the parlors and several old fashioned games were played which were greatly enjoyed by all.

There will be a concert for the benefit of the orphans and widows in Bulgaria in the Congregational Chapel, Tuesday evening, March 3. The wonderful child violinist, Nedelka Simenova, will play, assisted by Mr. Huddy, baritone soloist and Mr. John Hermann, piano accompanist.

The Baptist, Congregational and Methodist Churches will unite in a series of Sunday evening services, beginning March 1st, as follows: March 1 and 8, in the Baptist Church; March 15 and 22, in the Methodist; March 29 and April 5th, in the Congregational Church. Everybody is invited to the services.

On the afternoon of Sunday, Mar. 1, a concert will be given in the Unitarian Church by the Highland Glee Club, under the direction of Mr. Edgar Jacobs Smith. The club will be assisted by Mme. Wilhelmina Wright Cairnt, soprano soloist, Messrs. A. J. Fairbanks and John Hermann Loud, besides the regular quartet.

The Woman's Foreign Missionary Society of the First Baptist Church will observe the Judson Centenary by giving "A Burmese Chronicle" in the Meeting House, next Thursday, at 7.45 P. M. The public are invited to be present at this graphic portrayal, by Miss Harriet S. Ellis, of the achievements of a hundred years of missionary work in Burma.

Last Wednesday evening at the First Baptist Church the regular monthly supper was given by the Ladies of the Church. After the supper the form of entertainment was the old-fashioned Spelling Bee, and it will be acknowledged that several "learned" men and women "fell" before the game had progressed far; however it was voted a success by all present.

Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Pearson of this village have announced the engagement of their daughter, Miss Alice Pearson, Emerson College, '13, and Dr. John King, Tufts Dental School, '13.

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chandise or other commodities, or for pub-

lic weighing, are hereby notified to bring their

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**Newton.**

—Dutch clip for children. Fell Bros., Washington St., opp. Bank. adv.

—Mr. and Mrs. James McCandlish of Breanmore road have returned from a trip in the South.

—Dr. and Mrs. Duncan Reid are entertaining Mrs. Reid's cousin, Miss Sinclair, of Paisley, Ontario.

The grocery and provision stores of this village will be closed all day Monday on account of the holiday.

—Miss Nellie Lee Brown of Washington street has gone on a two weeks' visit with friends at New Haven, Conn.

—The engagement is announced of Mr. Harold H. March of Grasmere street and Miss Elsie Willard of Weston.

—At the Ash Wednesday service next week at Grace Church, Rev. George Hodges, D.D., will be the preacher.

## COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS.

Middlesex, ss.

## PROBATE COURT.

To the devisees, legatees, and all other persons interested in the estate of Harriet M. Frisbie late of Newton in said County, deceased, testate:

WHEREAS a petition has been presented to said Court to grant a letter of administration with the will annexed, on the estate of said deceased, late of Newton in said County of Middlesex, without giving a surety on his official bond or to some other suitable person.

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court to be held at Cambridge, in said County of Middlesex, on the tenth day of March A. D. 1914, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be granted.

And said petitioner is hereby directed to give public notice thereof by publishing this citation once in each week, for three successive weeks, in the Newton Graphic a newspaper published in Newton, the last publication to be one day, at least, before said Court, and by mailing post-paid, or delivering a copy of this citation to all devisees and legatees named in said will, seven days at least before said Court.

Witness, CHARLES J. MCINTIRE, Esquire, First Judge of said Court, this sixteenth day of February in the year one thousand nine hundred and fourteen.

W. E. ROGERS, Register.

## COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS.

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## PROBATE COURT.

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## Mortgagee's Sale of Real Estate

By virtue of the power of sale contained in certain mortgages recorded in the County of Middlesex, to-wit: Book 1331, Page 248, and Book 1331, Page 249, and under a Declaration of Trust dated April 1, 1911 and recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 1331, Page 248, said mortgage being dated August 8, 1913, and recorded with Middlesex Deeds, Book 1331, Page 249, and the purpose of foreclosing the same, will be sold at public auction upon the premises hereinafter described, to-wit: Lot 40, situated in the City of Newton, in the County of Middlesex, and containing about 1.5 acres of land, and all singular the premises conveyed by said mortgage deed and therein substantially described as follows:

"A certain parcel of land with the buildings hereon situated in Newton in said County of Middlesex, and shown as parcels marked Part A and Part B, respectively, on a plan of 'Chester Hill Trust Land in Newton, (Waban Hill District)' by O'Neil and Rew, Surveyors, recorded with Middlesex South District Deeds, Book of Plans 205, Plan 241, bounded:

Northerly on Waban Hill Road one hundred (100) feet.

Easterly and southeasterly on a curved line in Waban Hill Terrace, as shown on said plan (now known as Waban Hill Road) by three courses, twenty-six and 25-100 feet, twenty-four and 29-100 feet and forty-one and 21-100 feet.

Southerly on Lot 42 on said plan one hundred and thirty-four and 38-100 feet; South-easterly on parcel marked C on said plan fifty and 88-100 feet; Northerly on Lot 40 on said plan one hundred and eighty and 96-100 feet. Excepting, if the parcel of said land have described premises, as was taken by the City of Newton for the purpose of widening that part of said Waban Hill Road formerly known as Chester Hill Terrace, containing according to said plan 20,000 square feet of land. Being the same premises conveyed to me by deeds to be recorded hereafter.

Said Premises will be sold subject to a first mortgage to the Framingham Trust Company, A. A. written in the principal sum of \$10,000, and to a first mortgage to the Dorchester Trust Company on lot B, written in the principal sum of \$10,000, both duly recorded with said deeds, also to all unpaid taxes, as taxes, municipal liens and assessments if any.

One thousand dollars will be required to be paid in cash at the time and place of sale, balance in 10 days from the date of sale on the delivery of deed.

FRED F. BLANCHARD Trustee of the mortgage Investment &amp; Savings Trust, Mortgagee.

## SCHOOL EXPENSES TOO LARGE

(Continued from page 1)

of the Board of Aldermen has shown very great reluctance about asking in public and when we approached him on this subject, found him rather remote. He was in the condition of the aged dandy who went down to the store to buy his week's supplies, and after buying five pounds of corn, bought a drink, and after purchasing some sugar had another drink, and after purchasing some rice took another drink, and so on through his list. He started home, his steps very irregular, and had not gone far when an enormous rattlesnake came out in the path, coiled itself up ready to strike. The old dandy stopped and looked at him, and then he said, 'Hello, Mr. Snake, your already to strike ain't you. Well you go right ahead cause I couldn't be better prepared if I had had a month's notice.'

Mr. Blakemore said in part:—  
"The question tonight is not as to the organization or management of the School Department. It is not a question whether or not the schools are making good. Of course the schools are making good as the Newton schools always have made good, on account of the high standard of intelligence in the pupils, no matter what school system they may have. The question is a very broad one, of the best good of the city, which should be discussed entirely apart from prejudice of any kind."

"One test of what is a fair amount to expend on our schools is a comparison with other cities. The last Federal Census Bulletin, which is for the year 1911, shows that Newton then had a per capita school expense of \$8.67, which was so much the highest in the United States that no other city approached it. Our total number of school teachers was the highest in the Newton group of cities, which consisted of those of 30-50,000 inhabitants, and exceeded many cities of much larger size."

"Suppose we compare Newton expense with other cities in Massachusetts. We spend more per capita and per pupil than any other city in the state. The advocates of increased expenditure are fond of trying to compare us with Brookline, which has a tax rate of \$13.30 and a valuation per capita of \$3995 as opposed to our rate of \$18.20 with a valuation per capita of \$1993. We devote to school expense a smaller percentage of our total tax than some other cities like Somerville, Medford and Everett with low valuation per capita and a high tax rate, but we spend over twice the proportion of our tax rate that is spent by Brookline. The advance sheets of the report of the State Board of Education show that in 18 out of the 33 cities the cost per pupil decreased during the school year 1912-13 and there was a decrease in 13 out of the 21 towns shown in the report, so that in planning our annual increase, we are actually running against the current in this state. In the total expenditure per pupil for school support Newton heads all cities and is surpassed only by the three towns of Milton, Brookline and Wellesley, which can afford it as we cannot. Milton has a tax rate of \$13, Brookline of \$13.30 and Wellesley of \$12, as opposed to our \$18.20. The valuation of Brookline is \$3995, of Milton \$3452 and of Wellesley \$3202 per capita as opposed to Newton, \$1993. In other words, in attempting to vie with such places we are like the man of the average salary trying to compete in expenditure with the man who pays an income tax."

"The number of pupils per teacher in Newton is 24.3. The average of the other cities is 31.4. In teachers' salaries per pupil Newton surpasses all cities and towns in the state, save only Brookline. In elementary school support Newton again leads the cities with \$43.35 per pupil, being surpassed only by our three wealthy neighbors, Brookline, Milton and Wellesley. In High School support we are surpassed only by the other two cities, Brookline and Wellesley, and by our three wealthy neighbors, Brookline, Milton and Wellesley. In High School support we are surpassed only by the other two cities, Brookline and Wellesley, and by our three wealthy neighbors, Brookline, Milton and Wellesley."

"We are told repeatedly by those who advocate increased expenditures that the increases in the school budget have been caused by the fact that we are keeping more pupils in our high schools than ever before, and through the technical and vocational high, which are very expensive. A little analysis shows that this is less than a half truth. To take the salary list alone: the salaries in 1905-6 of all the schools were \$181,955. In 1913-14 they are \$292,833, an increase in eight years in salaries of \$110,878. There are fewer pupils in the grades today than there were in 1905-6, by 482, representing a saving in salaries of \$80 per pupil of \$14,460. There are fewer pupils in the Classical High School now than then by 251, making a saving in salaries of \$14,809 at \$59 per pupil. The salary list in the Technical High School, which is a new school, additional expense, is some \$40,000 and that in the Vocational High about \$34,000, making a total of \$74,000, from which should be deducted the saving in the grades of \$14,460, and in the Classical High of \$14,809, leaving a justified increased expense during the last eight years of \$44,771, while the actual increase in salaries alone is \$110,878, leaving an increase which is entirely unexplained on any theory of \$66,147 a year, which amounts to over 80 cents on our tax rate."

"Let us for a minute see if we are able to afford this expense. We have the highest net debt per capita in Massachusetts with the exception of Boston. The tax rate reflects the burden of the school department. It has been my experience that all those who are interested in getting money out of the city treasury are very quick to minimize the effect of the tax rate and the School Department is no exception to that rule. The school report attempts to show that our tax rate is high, although the consensus of opinion of real estate dealers, whose business it is to bring people into the city, is to the contrary. The only reason for citing the tax rate at all is to show that we are at a disadvantage with our competitors. If other places do not compete with us, there is no point in citing the tax rate. The school report takes an arbitrary list of 20 cities and towns, including places like Everett, Chelsea and Somerville, of congested populations and low valuations, and attempts to compare us with them. Suppose we compare our tax rate with those of our competitors: Brookline, \$13.30; Wellesley, \$12; Weston, \$11.50; Milton, \$13. We are three times as high as the lowest, and a lower tax rate, which offers the same advantages that Newton offers and the result is that we are not getting as we should those heavy taxpayers who after all are the ones who pay the bills for expensive education. It is noticeable that when the school report speaks of tax rate, it omits places and omits places which are comparable and takes another list of places in an attempt to prove that our expense per pupil is low."

"The result of all this expenditure is that we have been obliged at City Hall to skip other departments; that we are trying to run our Street Department at about the appropriation of ten years ago; that we are omitting to do the things we should do and cannot. We have refused in the last few years to widen Weston Bridge, to widen Hammond street, to widen Walnut street opposite the cemetery, to rebuild the unsafe Kenrick Bridge, and to widen Nonantum Square, and we have suffered our public buildings to fall behind. We are now like a man with a small income trying to run a six-cylinder touring car."

"The School Department is very fertile in suggesting cutting expenses in impossible places. The question of where any saving should be made is for them and we are entitled to have their co-operation that a saving shall be made where it most properly can be. It is possible that the teachers might give more recitations. It is possible that the suggestions of the State Board of Education regarding the omission of Latin, geometry and algebra should be followed, at least to some extent. It is possible that in the High School a system of lectures can be well substituted in many courses instead of recitations. The suggestions of the School Department that money can be saved by ceasing to fit the room with the school, here are the suggestions of the School Department intended to give the impression that that is the only place money can be saved. A little study of the per pupil cost in other places ought to give our School Department ideas as to how to run their department economically."

"I believe this a crucial time for the future of the city; that the next vote will be a determining vote as to whether we are to follow the history of places like Cambridge and Somerville or whether by wise expenditure in physical improvements we can keep up our present high standard. It seems obvious that the School Department expense is now all out of proportion to the ability of the city or the results attained. The school department is a real handicap to the growth of the city."

Mr. Jones said: "The gentleman on my right has absolutely vetoed my intention of saying something about our very enthusiastic Superintendent of Schools, so I am just going to tell you of the German Mayor in the West who was called upon to introduce the former Senator Spooner of Wisconsin. He said, 'I have been asked to introduce to you the very best man in the city, who will talk to you. I have now done so, he will now do so.'"

Dr. Spaulding said: "There are two representative bodies in Newton charged with responsibility for the educational interests of the City. These representative bodies are the School Committee on the one hand, and the Mayor and Board of Aldermen on the other. Now as I understand it the functions in brief of the School Committee are to determine an educational policy for the City, to study the educational needs of the City and suggest the best way of meeting these needs. They are secondly, to make known this educational policy to the people of the City, and to see that the policy is carried out. The Mayor and Board of Aldermen are also responsible for the educational interests of the City. They are to make known that policy, they are to handle it and what they think ought to be done for the future, and to make known the cost of carrying out that policy. They make the known in what is called the school budget. What the Board of Aldermen and Mayor determines is what sum shall be placed at the disposal of the School Committee for carrying out their policy. Note, that the Board of Aldermen determines that. When they have placed at the disposal of the School Committee a certain sum to carry out the work, it becomes the function of the School Committee to use the same to the best of their ability to carry out the policy they are engaged in. And it is further the duty of the School Committee to report fully and clearly to all the citizens and to the Board of Aldermen and Mayor what they are doing in the schools to carry out the educational policy, and what it is costing to do so. These are the functions of the School Committee."

"On the part of the Mayor and Board of Aldermen the functions are these. It is their function to make all appropriations, not only for the maintenance of schools, but also for the School Committee controls, but also for school plant. The Mayor and Board of Aldermen are responsible for all appropriations. The Mayor and Board of Aldermen are further responsible for the expenditure of all money for interest, sinking funds, repairs, and what they are obliged to do with the upkeep of the plant. The School Committee has no control over the money spent on school plant according to the City Charter. I want to make this plain because I can conceive that it is possible to answer the question, as to whether school buildings are being spent in different ways, depending on standpoint, whether from the standpoint of the School Committee or from the standpoint of the Mayor and Board of Aldermen."

"I think it is necessary to look at the matter from both standpoints and get from the School Department standpoint. From the standpoint of the School Department, 'Are we spending too much money on Schools,' we can consider only the money spent on maintenance, because that is the only money which they control. They have nothing to do, no control over interest, social bonds, or any items of plant, except perhaps to recommend school buildings when occasion demands them to approve plans with a specific item perhaps as to size. They have no control over the cost. From the standpoint of the School Department I can conceive of two conditions under which it could be said that we are spending too much money. If we are spending money to provide things which ought not to be provided, then we are spending too much. Every dollar spent fails away in Newton is a dollar too much for schools. If we are spending more money than is necessary to provide for things, then we are spending too much. If we are not producing things as efficiently, as economically as they could be done, by just so much is our work inefficient."

"Now the School Department has reported in the last report of four years very fully, particularly about the work of the schools and have taken particular pains to tell in detail what was being done, and exactly what it was costing, and the School Committee has asked repeatedly for suggestions as to how we could make savings or economize, for suggestions of anything which would be cut out or pared at less expense. This invitation has been extended and we have never heard any serious suggestion as yet. A large part of the criticism we have received if carried out would involve larger expense rather than less. As to the efficiency with which the money is being spent, I can only say that we are doing the very best we can, and while Mr. Blakemore did not say so, he has been kind enough in the past to commend the manner in which the School Department has handled the expenditures. Taking the years between 1903-04 and 1912-13 we find that the increase in number of pupils has been about 23 per cent, while the increase in cost of maintenance has been 43 per cent. I take this ten year period for two or three reasons. Ten years ago there was nothing to produce this extraordinary expense of the last few years. The school system was an excellent one of its kind. Also I took the years 1903-04 because I have nothing to do with the schools, that is my service began with the year 1904-05. Perhaps you will pardon a personal reference. When a member of the School Committee, whom I see before me tonight, came to see me in my former position in New Jersey regarding the superintendency in Newton, I inquired what the situation was in Newton. I said, 'Is there an opportunity to do some constructive work or do the people believe their schools are the best in the country and that all that is necessary is to keep up the present standard?' I said that 'if this was the case I did not believe I was wanted and did not believe I was interested in the situation.' He replied that some of the people were of this opinion, but that the School Committee were of another opinion, and that there was an opportunity to do some constructive work. During my first year I made a report to the then rather large School Committee of fifteen members. I said, 'here are the excellencies of your school system which is very narrow, here are the lines along which it ought to be developed, are you interested in having it developed or do you want to stand pat?' If the latter, you ought not to pay the salary you are paying.' They said the School system should be developed. So far as the School Committee is concerned they have said that the development should be made of very few dissenting votes and those concerning matters of detail."

"Will you look for a moment at this chart which makes a comparison of the school system of 10 years ago and the school system of the last completed year. It shows the amount of work done. It is a comparison of products and cost."

"In the kindergarten the cost per pupil in 1903-04 was \$37.45, in 1912-13, \$30.25, a decrease of 19 per cent. In the first grades the cost per pupil in 1903-04 was \$34.80, in 1912-13, \$39.50, an increase of 13 1-2 per cent."

"In the Newton High School the cost per pupil in 1903-04 was \$64.18, in 1912-13, \$64.23, an increase of five cents per pupil. The work in the Newton High School is practically the same type as ten years ago and the increase in cost too small to calculate."

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"In the Vocational High School in 1912-13 the cost per pupil was \$169.19. Bear in mind that one-half of this is reimbursed by the State. The State Board of Education is so thoroughly enthusiastic regarding vocational training that they stand ready to duplicate every dollar spent for such training. If you look at the total of all of these you will note that the cost per pupil putting all together was \$39.19 in 1904 and in 1912-13, \$48.60, an increase of 24 per cent."

"I will say right here that while I believe Mr. Blakemore's figures are absolutely correct he fails to recognize the various types of work being done, and then you see the vast difference. The gross decrease in kindergarten was 19 per cent, the increase in grades was 13 1-2 per cent, and in all high schools 24 1-2 per cent, the net increase being only 6 per cent, after taking out the reimbursement from the State on account of the vocational school. The Vocational Department aided us further by producing permanent equipment for the building which if we had been obliged to purchase same would have cost in the neighborhood of \$6,000. They also made repairs to other buildings to the extent of \$3,000. These items would further reduce the increase to less than 2 per cent."

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"In number of pupils the kindergarten shows an increase of 21 per cent, the high schools 11 per cent, in ten years. The increase in the high schools was nearly three times as large as both the grades and kindergarten. We have increased our business at the expensive end. Say what you may, it seems to me that the wonderful thing is the slight increase in cost."

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maintenance, because that is the only money which they control. They have nothing to do, no control over interest, social bonds, or any items of plant, except perhaps to recommend school buildings when occasion demands them to approve plans with a specific item perhaps as to size. They have no control over the cost. From the standpoint of the School Department I can conceive of two conditions under which it could be said that we are spending too much money. If we are spending money to provide things which ought not to be provided, then we are spending too much. Every dollar spent fails away in Newton is a dollar too much for schools. If we are spending more money than is necessary to provide for things, then we are spending too much. If we are not producing things as efficiently, as economically as they could be done, by just so much is our work inefficient."

"Now the School Department has reported in the last report of four years very fully, particularly about the work of the schools and have taken particular pains to tell in detail what was being done, and exactly what it was costing, and the School Committee has asked repeatedly for suggestions as to how we could make savings or economize, for suggestions of anything which would be cut out or pared at less expense. This invitation has been extended and we have never heard any serious suggestion as yet. A large part of the criticism we have received if carried out would involve larger expense rather than less. As to the efficiency with which the money is being spent, I can only say that we are doing the very best we can, and while Mr. Blakemore did not say so, he has been kind enough in the past to commend the manner in which the School Department has handled the expenditures. Taking the years between 1903-04 and 1912-13 we find that the increase in number of pupils has been about 23 per cent, while the increase in cost of maintenance has been 43 per cent. I take this ten year period for two or three reasons. Ten years ago there was nothing to produce this extraordinary expense of the last few years. The school system was an excellent one of its kind. Also I took the years 1903-04 because I have nothing to do with the schools, that is my service began with the year 1904-05. Perhaps you will pardon a personal reference. When a member of the School Committee, whom I see before me tonight, came to see me in my former position in New Jersey regarding the superintendency in Newton, I inquired what the situation was in Newton. I said, 'Is there an opportunity to do some constructive work or do the people believe their schools are the best in the country and that all that is necessary is to keep up the present standard?' I said that 'if this was the case I did not believe I was wanted and did not believe I was interested in the situation.' He replied that some of the people were of this opinion, but that the School Committee were of another opinion, and that there was an opportunity to do some constructive work. During my first year I made a report to the then rather large School Committee of fifteen members. I said, 'here are the excellencies of your school system which is very narrow, here are the lines along which it ought to be developed, are you interested in having it developed or do you want to stand pat?' If the latter, you ought not to pay the salary you are paying.' They said the School system should be developed. So far as the School Committee is concerned they have said that the development should be made of very few dissenting votes and those concerning matters of detail."

"Will you look for a moment at this chart which makes a comparison of the school system of 10 years ago and the school system of the last completed year. It shows the amount of work done. It is a comparison of products and cost."

"In the kindergarten the cost per pupil in 1903-04 was \$37.45, in 1912-13, \$30.25, a decrease of 19 per cent. In the first grades the cost per pupil in 1903-04 was \$34.80, in 1912-13, \$39.50, an increase of 13 1-2 per cent."

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fact is that in the high schools the salaries have only increased from 4 to 6 per cent in this time but in the grades it has been as high as 17 per cent. That is reduced some by increased size of classes."

"Will you tell me from that comparison, what we are doing that we ought not to do? For what are we spending money for? I will show you what we are spending money for in the vocational school. In that school scarcely any pupil in that school is a pupil who would have been in high school or any other school 10 years ago. There was nothing to keep them in school. The same is true to some extent in the Technical High School. We do this for the sake of keeping that type of pupil in school. These are the people who in a few years are to elect your Mayors, your Aldermen and your School Committee, and are to sit on those boards themselves. What you will drop out of that school, and where can something be saved in efficiency?"

"I hope I have convinced some of you at least, that from the standpoint of the School Department, which is responsible for the educational interests of the City, that we are not spending too much money in Newton. I would appreciate it if you will tell me where we can save in what we are now furnishing. We want to do so economically as we can."

"Now from the standpoint of the Mayor and Aldermen. There are other interests in the City of Newton besides the schools. My good friend has sometimes intimated that I was not appreciative of the other interests in the City. I have driven a horse and an automobile just as many of you do, and in my experience in driving about, I do not know where I have found any better roads than those in Newton. I have a little property in Newton and I have a little property in Cambridge. I do not want a high tax rate any more than you. I am interested in the welfare of a citizen."

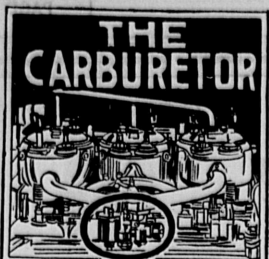
"I think the situation from that standpoint may be fairly compared with the needs and expense of the family. You have probably seen many times the scientific division of small budgets to meet the needs of say a man and his wife, perhaps two other grown folks and several children. Maybe that working man is only getting \$10-\$12 or \$15 a week and perhaps you will marvel that such a small sum as \$600, or so, can be made to cover all the absolute necessities of such a family."

"I think perhaps some of us are fortunate enough to allow the total amount of food, rent or clothing. That man must serve all the needs of his family with that sum, and the same is true of the Board of Aldermen. There are limits. Perhaps the needs of all the departments, the absolute needs cannot be met in a City like Newton with our present Budget. I have









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## DEATH OF REV. THERON BROWN

Interesting Career of Well Known Newton Author and Citizen

Rev. Theron Brown, for forty-five years associate editor of the Youth's Companion, and long a contributor to the Transcript, died at his home in Newtonville, Saturday morning, after an illness of about a year.

Mr. Brown was born in Willimantic, Conn., on April 29, 1832, and was the son of Eliphalet and Ermina (Preston) Brown. He prepared at the Suffield, Conn., Literary Institute for college and was graduated from Yale in the class of 1856, of which he was the class poet. He later attended the East Windsor (now Hartford) Theological Seminary to study theology, continuing these studies at the Newton Theological Institution.

He was ordained to the Baptist ministry at South Framingham, in December, 1859, and preached there for a time, later preaching in the First Baptist Church in Hartford, Conn., and in Willimantic in that State, for brief periods. At this time Mr. Brown began to contribute to religious journals and when spending the winter of 1862-63 in Boston he wrote for the former Watchman and Reflector, later the Baptist Church in Canton in March,

interest in his classmates, Yale '56, and made a point of attending all annual reunions.

On Nov. 27, 1859, Mr. Brown married Helen M. Preston of Willington, Conn. Their children were Bennett Albert Brown, born in 1860, and who was drowned in 1873, and Helen Preston Brown, who became the wife of Walter B. Allen of Boston. She was born in 1865, and died in 1895.

Mr. Brown was a gentleman of the old school, reserved and dignified, but gentle and kind to everyone. He was a thorough "Youth's Companion", but just as thorough a Companion to men. He had a sunny, witty temperament, that made his conversation sparkle with flashes of merry humor. Mr. Brown was a true friend to those who claimed his friendship, a loyal classmate, and a good neighbor, whose faith and unwavering trust in the Eternal was a beacon light that beckoned others to the Way.

Funeral services were held Tuesday afternoon in the Newtonville Methodist Church and were attended by many associates, including Edward W. Frenz and Paul P. Foster, two editors of the publication. The services were preceded by prayers for members of the family at the Brown home at 402 Newtonville avenue, Newtonville. Rev. James W. Campbell, pastor of the church, officiated at both services.

At the church Mrs. Jeanette Hall of Wellesley sang "The Homeland" and "I'm a Pilgrim." Mr. Brown was a

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ber, president from 1888 to 1890; Hugh Campbell, president from 1891 to 1892; F. H. Tucker, from 1893 to 1895; S. M. Sayford, from 1896 to 1906, and Allan C. Emery who has been president since that time.

The building committee was also present, including Charles E. Riley, D. Fletcher Barber, Carleton L. Ellison, Frederic J. Fuller, James E. Clark, Allan C. Emery, Harry W. Bascom and Hiram E. Barker. The other officers of the association are Mayor Edwin O. Childs, vice president; J. William Blaisdell, treasurer, and Clarence V. Moore, clerk.

Mr. Hutchinson said: Newton Young Men's Christian Association:

"What is it you have asked for me? As I conceive the thought, you have in mind a tribute from a layman citizen, and this I give from out my deepest consciousness, though perhaps with difficulty to phrase it to your satisfaction or my own."

"Our gentle, brave, courageous friend. The praise must be unstinted as it has been from all his eulogists, and if from out of my experience I make some mention of his contact with the common things of life, it will be for the reason that his life was his most unusual serenity, his far-reaching influence for good upon the private and public life of others."

"He was most human and I like to feel his goodness was not of the passive type. A man of impulses but who can be great without them; not without prejudices yet always patient, hopeful and with sublime faith in the general upward tendencies of all mankind. He had defeats but who will fail to recognize the fullest measure of his victories. We loved him through the things which are the common lot of man by him made glorious; we loved him also for his keen enjoyment of material pleasures, the manly sports, the play, the jest, the trips away which were for rest but not for idleness."

"He never sought the life conspicuous, but others are present in this gathering who have, with me, had share with him in public service, in city government and institutional directorates. Invaluable as an adviser, painstaking in his attention to the more arduous duties of official position, quietly carrying the lion's share of burden, without pretense and preferring in honor the advancement of another."

"As we think of this good friend of organized philanthropy, this generous man, the liberal giver, the man of worthy objects, the leader who has by his suggestion and example made possible the gifts of many others, and as we vie with one another to recite his quiet benefactions, to the world unknown, we place above all else the spirit of his giving."

"Above the value of this substantial structure, above the value of this organization, with all its possibilities and accomplishments, he recognized the value of the individual boy and man, conscious of the possible privations of the mind or body, conscious of the temptations tending to error, to selfishness, to disregard of life's best fundamentals, he gave light and most freely from his resources, experience, strength and wisdom in order that life as centered here might be enriched and more abundant."

"He was a Christian, he loved his fellow men, in the fullest sense he followed in accordance with the teachings of the Master. He was a worshipper, a believer in the church universal, and his interpretation of the higher life was every day made manifest. He was a Christian on the street."

"It may not be, I shall not share, nor ask that others share with me the sacredness of his rare intimacy. That ever present, but really unknown quantity of love and confidence, that personal knowledge and recognition of the ambitions, disappointments, inspirations and failures of life which are and must be a part of close companionship, the real essentials of a friendship which may well be mentioned here but may not be discussed."

"I knew him in his business, perhaps less than in other ways, but where will be there found, as in this house of brothers well exemplified, a better instance of successful business founded upon honor with the love and admiration of all associates, the respect and confidence of keen competitors?"

"I knew him in the home made blessed by his mutual devotion, by the helpful, trustful, cheerful love of all for all. The home which was the center of the generous impulses and from which radiated, and still will radiate, kind thoughts and deeds for others."

"And now you dedicate this building made possible largely through his endeavors, you dedicate it to the purpose which he approved. Why should we not, each one, at this time, re-dedicate ourselves through his example to lives of broader sympathies, to deeds of helpfulness, to gentleness, re-dedicate ourselves to lives of faith and courage that these may be as were with him the natural ways of every day development."

"The half has not been told, nor will be told. He lived not on a lofty pinnacle of heralded accomplishment; his was the common life but how uncommon, the simple life but how unusual in its gradation. There is a deep sorrow in our loss but even this shall not exceed the joy of our remembrance. The honest, thoughtful, gentle man remains a holy memory, remains a daily inspiration."

"Who is the happy warrior? Who is he That every man in arms should wish to be?"

It is the generous Spirit, who, when brought Among the tasks of life, hath wrought Upon the plan that pleased his thought: Whose high endeavors are an inward light That makes the path before him always bright: Who, with a natural instinct to discern What knowledge can perform, is diligent to learn.

Who, if he rise to station of command, Rises by open means; and there will stand

On honorable terms, or else retire, And in himself possess his own desire; Who comprehends his trust, and to the same; Keeps faithful with a singleness of aim; And therefore does not stoop, nor lie in wait; For wealth, or honors or for worldly state.

Whose powers shed round him in the common strife Or mild concerns of ordinary life A constant influence, a peculiar grace.

Whom neither shape of danger can dismay, Nor thought of tender happiness betrays; Who, not content that former worth stand fast Looks forward, persevering to the last.

This is the happy Warrior; this is He That every man in arms should wish to be."

## Y. M. C. A.

### Swimming Exhibition

The Brookline Gym. Swimming team will give an exhibition in the Y. M. C. A. pool Wednesday evening. This club possesses some of the best swimmers and divers in New England, and those who witness the exhibition will receive a treat.

The program will consist of speed races, plunging, fancy swimming, diving and water polo.

## Y. M. C. A. 2nd 39—Co. C 13

A long anticipated basket ball game was played between two Newton teams Wednesday night at the Y. M. C. A. and resulted in an overwhelming defeat for Co. C, the score being 39-13. Co. C outwitted the Y. M. C. A. team, but did not possess the team work or the ability to shoot baskets as did the Y. M. C. A. boys.

Barrows and Wood formerly of the Y. M. C. A. 1st team, played with Co. C and found the going too fast. Hyatt opposed Wood, who is coaching Co. C, and scored four baskets and kept the spirit "Peg" from scoring.

Whitney played his first game this season and proved to be a star. In three shooting 7 baskets, he played a clean, fast game. Capt. Irving played Barrows and kept Walter going some, scoring four baskets during "the melee."

## Win Championship Game

The Newton Y. M. C. A. Basketball team practically won the State championship title Wednesday evening, by defeating the Springfield Y. M. C. A. team that claims the championship of the western part of Massachusetts, by the score of 34 to 28, while Newton has defeated almost every fast team in this section.

The game was the fastest and also the cleanest game ever played at the local Association. There were only nine fouls called during the forty minutes of play, and none of those fouls were intentional. Referee McGuinnis showed that he was the master of the game by handling it in such a manner as to bring comment from both teams. Jacobs showed lightning-like form by caging eight baskets from the floor while every man helped to score. Milley shot four, Chivers two, Bills two, while McKenzie got away with one. In the meantime Gowers of Springfield came back strong in the second half by shooting five baskets in succession. This made the contest very close and exciting, and the crowd witnessed the best game ever played in this section.

## GUEST DAY

The Boston Chapter, Women's Organization of the National Association of Retail Druggists, observed Guest Thursday at the Hotel Vendome.

There were about 75 guests present, and an excellent program was arranged under the direction of the literary committee, of which Mrs. John Morrison was chairman.

Mrs. Eudora S. Utley of Newtonville, gave a highly interesting talk on "Mexico, its people and present conditions." Mrs. Utley was well versed in her subject, having lived for many years in Mexico.

Mrs. J. W. Cooper of Plymouth, who is president of the Association, presided over the business meeting, after which tea was served.

The tea-table was very attractively decorated in the Club colors, with pink carnations in pleasing arrangement, one of which was presented to each of the guests. The members of the literary committee poured and included Mrs. John Morrison of Plymouth, Mrs. Trueman Hayes of Cambridge, and Mrs. J. H. Green and Mrs. Jessie F. Waterhouse of Newton Highlands.

## PIANOFORTE RECITAL

The pupils of Mr. E. H. Titcomb, assisted by Mr. George Ruffin, tenor, and Mr. William Griffin, baritone, gave a recital on Wednesday evening at St. John's Church, Boston.

A program of 22 numbers was presented, which included piano and vocal selections, by Messrs O'Donnell and McCarthy, Raymond Fox, Gladys McCarthy, Roland O'Donnell, Josephine Wright, Douglas Collier, Albert Tange, Wendle Burbank, Charlie Ollis, Barbara Farley, Harold Temple, Miss Otterson, Clara Ordung, Mr. Griffin, Helen Curtin, Correna Otterson, Mr. Bonney, William O'Donnell, Wilson Knipe, Mr. Ruffin, and Ray Sikes.

## BRAE BURN CLUB

Mrs. S. Davis gave a luncheon of 12 covers on Wednesday at Brae Burn. Mr. and Mrs. Harold Green have returned from New York and are domiciled for a short stay at Brae Burn.

Mrs. T. B. Munroe and Mrs. H. P. Wood were the hostesses at a delightful dancing-party on Tuesday evening at Brae Burn. The hall was tastefully decorated with palms and ferns, and guests numbering about 80 were present from Boston, Brookline and the Newtons.

Mrs. Edward A. Kimball entertained at bridge on Monday at her residence in Boston.

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—Mr. Oliver Hickox of Jenkinson street left this week on a business trip to Pittsburg, Pa.

—Rev. Albert Hammatt will preach his farewell sermon at the Universalist Church next Sunday.

—Rev. Richard T. Loring has been giving a series of Confirmation lectures at St. John's Church.

—The Woman's Auxiliary of St. John's Church held a meeting Monday afternoon in the Choir Rooms.

—Rev. Jay T. Stocking preached his first sermon Sunday at the First Congregational Church in Washington, D.

—Miss Lucy Gates, who has been visiting Miss Marian Fuller of Central avenue, has returned to her home in Westboro.

—A meeting of St. John's Chapter of the Brotherhood of St. Andrew was held Wednesday evening in the rectory's study.

—Subscribers of the Graphic are receiving a couple of fine pencils when subscription bills are paid. Have you received yours?

—Rev. Howard A. Bridgman, D.D., editor of the Congregationalist will deliver the sermon Sunday morning at Central Church.

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—Bishop Lawrence will make his annual visitation in St. John's parish on Sunday evening and the rite of confirmation will be administered.

—Mr. James Morgan of the Boston Globe and Mrs. Morgan were guests of Mr. and Mrs. George W. Roope at a dinner-party on Thursday evening at their residence on Birch Hill road.

—A meeting of the Central Club was held Thursday evening in the parlors of Central Church. John Claire Minot of the Youth's Companion editorial staff, gave a very interesting address on "The Confessions of an Editor."

—Judging from the sale of tickets for the two-act play, "A Confidence Game," which will be given by the Knights of King Arthur, this evening at Central Church, a crowded house will greet the performers when the curtain rises on the first act.

—The annual play under the auspices of the Young Woman's Club of St. John's Church will be presented on Thursday and Friday evenings, April 23rd and 24th, at Players' Hall, West Newton. Rehearsals are being held under the direction of Mr. Edward M. Sumner.

—The third and last of the series of Travel Talks given by Mrs. James Richard Carter in the New Church parlors, Highland avenue, will be given Tuesday evening, February 24th at 8 o'clock. The subject will be "Glimpses of Chili, Bolivia and Peru." Given for the benefit of the Woman's League.

—The meeting of the Every Saturday Club will be held this week at the residence of Mrs. Wallace C. Boyden, Walnut street. The study of Modern Dramatists will be continued and the subject will be "John Galsworthy."

Mrs. Hagar will be chairman and the committee will include Mr. Hagar and Mr. Milliken. Mr. Richardson will lead the discussion and Mrs. Prescott will assist.

—"Two Bites at the Cherry," an operatic comedy, words by Owen Clark and music by Samuel L. Studley, formerly of the Bostonian Opera Company, will be presented Saturday evening, February 21st, and Tuesday evening, February 24th, in the hall at the Hunnewell Club. The entertainment will be under the auspices of the Choir of Grace Church and the cast will include the Misses Marie Sladen, Vanessa Denton, Theresa Cam, Eleanor Harris, and Messrs. Owen Clark, Richard U. Clark, 3rd, Ernest R. Clark, Frank Leighton, C. Watkins Simms, Jr., Arthur L. Swinsbourne, and Charles N. Sladen. Conductor, Samuel L. Studley, accompanist, William G. Hambleton, stage director, Hubert W. Pierce.

## MASQUERADE

The Valentine Masquerade Party given Friday evening at the Newton Club, by Miss Lillian F. Harrington's evening class for young people, was a most enjoyable affair, with an attendance of about sixty. The costumes were especially attractive, among the most noticeable being Saladin, the Kate Greenway Girl, Old Fashioned Girl, Folly, Cowboys, Clowns and some in military uniform.

Mrs. Shaw of Boston, who for many years was pianist for the late Mr. Gilbert, furnished a delightful program of popular music.

The matrons included Mrs. Wallace Boyden, Mrs. Robert Burgess, Mrs. Frank Mason, Mrs. Joseph S. Cordingley, and Mrs. F. Breaker Freeman.

## LODGES

Following the next meeting of Dalhousie Lodge on Wednesday night Mr. Edwin P. Wells will give an illustrated lecture on "Things Japanese" to which the ladies are invited.

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## WOMEN'S CLUBS

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Reports from the Endowment Fund that have come in since the pledges made at the mid-winter meeting of the State Federation at Dorchester, are very encouraging and it looks as if the full amount of \$10,000 will be forthcoming. But this will not be accomplished unless every club in the Federation does its share. At the presidents' Conference, which will be held at Watertown on March 5th, it is proposed to bring the matter to a conclusion, that the Massachusetts delegation may go to the Chicago Biennial with the satisfaction that Massachusetts always does its part. The amount asked from this state is the same that was raised by the clubs with which to entertain the Boston Biennial in 1908, and that came with comparatively little effort. Why should this not have come as easily?

## Newton Federation

The Newton Federation of Women's Clubs will hold its Mid-Winter meeting at Channing Church, Newton, on Wednesday, Feb. 25, at 2.30. Mrs. The Newton Federation of Women's League will speak upon "The Club Woman's Duty to the Woman in Business." Tea will be served during the social hour.

## Local Announcements

The meeting of the Newton Highlands Shakespeare Club, which was postponed from last Saturday on account of the storm, will be held tomorrow afternoon with Miss Alberta Crombie of Columbus street as speaker for last week.

The Brightelmstone Club will hold a Children's Party on Feb. 23, with Miss Anne Warner as entertainer. There will be music and dancing. On Feb. 27 the current events class of the club will meet under the leadership of Mrs. Mabel C. Crawford.

The Newton Highlands C. L. S. C. meets with Miss Webster of Chester street.

Gentlemen's Night will be observed by the Waban Woman's Club on February 23, when Dr. Edward A. Steiner will lecture on "Immigration" in the Union Church Vestry.

The Monday Club of Newton Highlands will have a Washington's Birthday celebration at its meeting next week Tuesday at the home of Mrs. H. M. Chase, 59 Lakewood road.

On Tuesday evening at eight o'clock the Auburndale Review Club will hold its annual gentlemen's night at its Congregational Church, when Mrs. Irving O. Palmer will give her lecture-recital on "The Sea Islanders."

The Newton Parliamentary Law Club meets with Mrs. W. D. Tripp on Tuesday morning at 10.15.

On Tuesday morning at 10.30 the Home Economics class of the Newtonville Woman's Guild meets in the Congregational Church.

The Social Science Club will have a guest meeting on Wednesday morning when Mrs. James J. Storror will speak upon "The Renaissance of Dancing."

The Pierian Club will meet with Mrs. Dean of South Framingham on Saturday, Feb. 28, instead of the 25th, on account of the meeting of the Newton Federation coming on that date.

Mrs. Ramseyer of Erie avenue will entertain the Shakespeare Club of Newton Highlands on Feb. 28th.

Thursday, March 5th, has been set as the date when the play given by the Newtonville Woman's Guild, "The Twigs of Thorns" will be repeated for the benefit of the Newton Hospital and Players Hall will be the place.

At the monthly meeting of the Newton Centre Woman's Club, Mrs. Christabel Kidder will read Ibsen's "Doll House."

At the meeting of the Newton Highlands Monday Club, on Feb. 16 Mrs. S. A. Thompson gave a most interesting paper on "Our New Possessions," in which she treated particularly of the Panama Canal and showed many photographs. Literature since the war was treated by Mrs. Susan M. Kerr, who read from Walt Whitman, and many others.

Mrs. W. S. Richards was hostess for the meeting of the Newton Highlands C. L. S. C. on Monday afternoon and Miss Marion Morse was in charge of the work. Miss Morse treated some of the nineteenth century dramatists of Europe, spending much time upon Henrik Ibsen, whose work has influenced all those of later times. The keynote of this century was realism. Wherever there has been national vitality, a great national activity, there has always followed intense drama. Ibsen's plays are problem plays, fascinating, but depressing. Few writers have been more responsive to their century. Among other dramatists touched upon were Tolstoy, Maeterlinck, Victor Hugo, Edmond Rostand.

The dramatic reading of Alice-Sit-by-the-Fire, given by Miss Erdine Cowlishaw before the Newtonville Woman's Guild on Tuesday afternoon was much enjoyed. Mrs. G. R. Pulsifer rendered a group of songs, accompanying herself upon the piano.

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On Wednesday morning Mr. Henry Stewart lectured on "The Shoe in all Ages and Places" before the Social Science Club. The subject matter was of much interest, but through some inadvertence the pictures did not show up as they should have done, which was a great drawback to both speaker and audience.

## WEST NEWTON WOMEN'S EDUCATIONAL CLUB

A meeting of unusual interest was that of Friday, February 13, when the West Newton Woman's Educational Club observed "President's Day."

There were present presidents and secretaries of neighboring clubs, nineteen being represented, besides numerous guests.

The rooms were transformed into bowers of bloom; pink carnations and pink roses with asparagus vines being used in the scheme of decoration.

Mrs. George W. St. Amant, president of the club, with Mrs. Walter A. Beedle, vice president, and her secretaries, Mrs. John R. McLean and Mrs. Edwin Quinn greeted the guests as they entered.

A group of instrumental selections were given by Mrs. Schulbach, an artist of rare ability, who delighted the audience by her skillful rendition of classical music.

The speaker of the afternoon, Mrs. Jane Owen Phillips of London, England, was presented by Mrs. St. Amant, and for more than an hour held the undivided attention of those present as she expounded "Ideals and Actualities" from her point of view.

Music followed, after which the guests were entertained in the tea room, which never looked more attractive.

The pourers were Mrs. Thomas M. Elwell and Mrs. Robert Goyton. Frappe was served by Mrs. Arthur B. Munroe and Mrs. Joseph Atkinson.

The next regular meeting will be on Friday, February 27. Current events in charge of Mrs. George D. Byfield.

## NEWTON WOMAN'S CLUB

On Monday the Newton Woman's Club held its meeting at the Allen School and listened to an address by Rev. H. G. Person on Abraham Lincoln. Music and tea followed. The next meeting will be a business one to be held at the Vernon Court Hotel, Centre street, Newton, Monday, March 9, at 3 o'clock.

## LADIES GYM CLASSES

Ladies desiring to join a class in physical culture to be held at the Newton Y. M. C. A., on Monday and Thursday mornings at 10.30 should send their names, or ask further information of Miss Bertha Moore, 199 Church street, Newton, telephone 1369 Newton North. The first class lesson will be on Monday, March 2, and applications should be made before April 1st. Mr. William Macpherson, physical instructor at the Y. M. C. A., will conduct the classes. A charge of \$5.00 to members of the Women's Auxiliary of the Y. M. C. A. and of \$4.00 for other ladies, will be made for a course of 12 lessons. Advt.

## MASS. S. S. ASSOCIATION

The annual convention of the Norumega district of this association, of which Mr. Sidney R. Porter of Newton Centre is acting president and Mrs. A. M. Teulon of West Newton is secretary, will be held next Wednesday afternoon and evening at the Baptist Church, Watertown. Addresses will be made in the afternoon by Rev. F. E. Peterson of Medford on "The Sunday School Fit for Service" and by Miss Martha K. Lawson of New York on "Teacher Training Problems." In the evening there will be an address by Rev. Allen M. Hyde of Brockton.

## MR. AND MRS. HALLETT ENTERTAIN

Mr. and Mrs. Edward M. Hallett entertained on Saturday evening at a Valentine dinner-dance, and on Monday evening at a supper-dance, at their residence on Hyde avenue, Newton.

There were very delightful social affairs, there being twenty-four guests present at the former, and an attendance of about forty at the latter.

The dancing was in the hall at the Stanley garage and Kanrich's Orchestra furnished most excellent music.

Dinner and supper were served in the house, and the decorative scheme of the dining-room was pink, with pink Killarney roses and greenery attractively arranged in baskets on the table.

The guests included members of society from Newton Centre, Auburndale, West Newton and Newton.

## BEATS ARLINGTON

One of the biggest surprises of the school hockey season was handed out by the Newton High seven on the Brae-Burn rink Tuesday afternoon, when it defeated the Arlington High School team, 6 to 2.

It was the first win that Newton High has scored over Arlington High in years. In each of the last three seasons Newton High had a splendid chance to win the State title, but in every case Arlington High took its measure, always by a small margin. Also in each year the Arlington defeat was the only setback that the Newton team received. This winter, however, the victory over Arlington does Newton no good, so far as the title is concerned, as Newton already has lost to Rindge Technical.

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## MINSTREL SHOW

The annual minstrel show and dance of the Nonantum Athletic Association is always one of the prominent events of each winter, and that held on Wednesday night proved to be no exception to that rule, for the State Army at West Newton was crowded to its utmost capacity with the friends of the Association, numbering over 2500.

Mr. Edwin O. Childs has always been the interlocutor at these minstrel shows and as Mayor Childs filled his old position with his accustomed skill. The audience, however, did not intend to allow this opportunity to pass without showing its appreciation of his new honors and greeted him, when he rose to introduce the minstrels, with applause and cheers which lasted six minutes.

The show was coached under the direction of Frederick B. Munroe, and the cast included 75 trained voices. It opened with a one-act laughable sketch, entitled "Treasure Island," and proved a great laugh provoker. There is a search for gold by two distinct parties, their actions "bringing" down the house. Albert Frechette took the role of Capt. Kidd and William Hanson was the Governor of the Island of Peru. Both heads of the searching parties, Louis Tabaldi and Jeffrey Landry appeared as Isadore Cohen and Peter Blatz, Samuel Longbottom as Michael Finnegan, William Boudrot as Gen. Hardtack, Horace Belisle as Capt. Grant, Clifford Bennett as Sgt. Bumm and Leon Chartier and Louis Miller as official messengers.

The soloists in this part were Samuel Longbottom, who sang "Mr. Finnegan"; William Boudrot, "Gen. Hardtack on Guard"; Louis Tabaldi, "Where Was Moses When the Light Went Out"; Jeffrey Landry, "O, How That German Could Love," and Horace Belisle, "The Sailor Boys of Uncle Sam." The soloists were assisted by a large chorus comprising members of the Standing Army of Peru, C. C. Marines; Gen. Hardtack's Body Guard, Pirates and Villagers.

Between parts one and two, which comprised the minstrels, a very pleasing soprano solo was rendered by Mrs. John Sheehan, who was given several encores. The usual time-honored features were prominent in part two, the numerous jokes being of a distinctly local flavor. The program consisted of a solo, "Good-by, Little Girl of My Dreams," by Miss Bessie Harrigan; end song, "Pullman Porters on Parade," by Albert Frechette; end song, "While They Were Dancing Around," by Miss Slamin; soprano solo, Miss Catherine Horan; end song, "I'm Going Back to Caroline," by Louis Tabaldi; soprano solo, Miss Anna Shrilberg; end song, "Chesapeake Bay," Miss Nellie Costigan; end song, "He Had to Get Under," Miss Julia Howley; end song, "Thanks for the Lobster," Frank Maguire. The closing chorus was "Rag Time Regiment Band," with John Kershaw as soloist.

The soloists were forced to appear many times for encores, the chorus also showing up brilliantly.

## LADIES

Nonantum Conclave, I. O. H., entertained 100 couples at a whist and dancing party Wednesday evening in Eliot Hall, Newton. Whist winners were Mrs. Katherine Calnan, Mrs. C. H. Reitsma, Mrs. Charles Barrows, D. Butt, Delbert Theal and C. E. Josseley. The dancing was in charge of Henry McLean. The committee in charge of the affair comprised Thomas Engess, chairman; W. J. Bernier, George Patterson, Sydney Chant, Harry Wilson, James Slattery and Harris E. Johnson.

The next party will be held in Eliot Hall on the evening of April 15.

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## MEMORIAL SERVICE

A memorial service for the late Professor Charles Rufus Brown, D. D., professor of biblical interpretation and Hebrew at the Newton Theological Institution, was held in the First Baptist Church, at Newton Centre, on Tuesday afternoon.

A number of clergymen from cities and towns in the vicinity of Boston were included in the gathering. The faculty and student body of the Newton Theological Institution were present and, in addition invitations had been extended to the faculties of the Harvard Divinity School, Andover Theological Seminary, the divinity school of Boston University, Cambridge Episcopal Theological School and the New Church Theological School at Cambridge.

Rev. George E. Horr, D. D., president of the Newton Theological Institution, was in charge of the service and Rev. Maurice A. Levy, pastor of the church, read a memorial prayer. President Lowell of Harvard was a classmate of Professor Brown at Harvard and spoke from that viewpoint as well as paying tribute to his value as an educator. Professor David G. Lyon, one of the faculty of the Harvard Divinity School, was another speaker. Four years ago he and Professor Brown were in Samaria to investigate Old Testament sites in Palestine in behalf of the American School for Oriental Research in Jerusalem. At one time Professor Brown was resident director of that school. Rev. John M. English, D. D., professor of homiletics at the Newton Institution, spoke in behalf of the faculty of the institution and Henry H. Kendall, dean of the Newton Centre Baptist Church, and one of the trustees of the Newton Theological Institution, represented the community as well as the trustees.

John Hermann Loud was at the organ and for a prelude played Le-maigre's "Elegy." After President Lowell's remarks he played Forster's "In Memoriam" and for a postlude "Absolute."

Led by a quartet from the Baptist Seminary, the congregation sang "Jehovah's Golden Rule," "Through the Night of Doubt and Sorrow" and "O Mother Dear, Jerusalem."

## DEATH OF HOMER F. TILTON

Mr. Homer Francis Tilton, a former well-known resident of West Newton, passed away February 14 at East Las Vegas, New Mexico, after a prolonged illness.

The deceased was born in Ashland, Mass., 29 years ago, and was the son of the late Homer H. Tilton, of West Newton. He was a graduate of the Pierce School, Newton High School, and a member of the Theta Delta Chi Fraternity, Class of 1907, Amherst College.

Mr. Tilton had resided in New Mexico for the past three years, and was married last May to Miss Rudolph of Las Vegas. He is survived by two brothers, Mr. Louis O. Tilton, and Mr. Harry L. Tilton of Waban, and three sisters, Mrs. Fletcher Robie of Uta, N. Y., Mrs. John Gobel of Berlin, N. H., and Mrs. Hannah MacNeil of Walpole, Mass.

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—The Monday Club will meet next week at the residence of Mr. K. W. Iobart on Sargent street.

—A whist-party and dance will be given under the auspices of the Betsy Ross Lodge, No. 556, N. E. O. P. on Monday evening in Eliot Hall. Whist from 8 until 10; dancing 10 until 12.

—Rev. H. Grant Person will give an address on George Washington at the morning service Sunday at Eliot church. The choir will sing Gail's Holy City at the vesper service at 4 o'clock.

—Dr. and Mrs. Duncan Reid have moved into the Reid house at 21 Tremont street. The house has been now Newton North 1891-M, while the office remains as formerly in the bank building.

—At Channing Church on Sunday morning Rev. Harry Lutz will speak in "The Man with a Country." Mr. Lutz's Round Table talk announced for Monday, February 23, will be omitted on account of the holiday.

—Eliot Church was well filled at the organ recital given last evening by Will C. Macfarlane, municipal organist of Portland, Me. The selections included many of the old masters, and also several of his own compositions.

—The regular meeting of the Eight-Clock Club assigned for this week was postponed until next week when it will meet at the residence of Mr. Walter H. Barker on Hyde avenue.

—The meeting scheduled for March 3 has also been postponed until March 10th.

—Mrs. Edmund W. Converse of Centre street gave a dinner at the Union hall followed by a theatre party at the Majestic on Monday evening.

—The evening was complimentary to Miss Louise Converse, and her cousin, Miss Christine Converse, and the guests numbered twenty-four.

—At the annual meeting of the Channing Religious Society held on Tuesday evening, Messrs. Charles A. Drew, Frank P. Scofield, John T. Alden, Robert E. Mandell and Josiah O. Bridgman were elected members of the Standing Committee and Mr. Fred W. Stone, a trustee, to succeed the late Warren T. Tyler.

## ANNUAL MEETING

The Annual Meeting of the shareholders of the Newton Co-operative Bank will be held at the banking rooms of the corporation, No. 297 Walnut Street, Newtonville, Massachusetts, on Tuesday evening, March 3, 1914.

At 8 o'clock for the purpose of electing officers for the ensuing year, and transacting any other business which may properly come before the meeting.

J. CHEEVER FULLER, Clerk.  
Newtonville, February 18, 1914.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the undersigned has been appointed executor of the will of Caroline Haskell, late of Newton, in the County of Middlesex, deceased, and has taken upon himself that trust by giving bond, as the law directs. All persons having demands upon the estate, said decedent are hereby required to exhibit the same, with all persons indebted to said estate are asked upon to make payment.

GEORGE C. LEE, Executor.  
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COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS.—State House, Boston, Feb. 18, 1914. The committee on Metropolitan Affairs will give a hearing to parties interested in Senate bill No. 822 and Senate No. 313, relating to Fire Hazard and Fire prevention in the Metropolitan district, at room 240, State House, on Wednesday, March 4, at 10 o'clock. M. Lombard Williams, Chairman. Herbert A. Wilson, Clerk of the Committee.

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**Mortgagee's Sale of Real Estate**

By virtue of the power of sale contained in a certain mortgage deed given by Rodney F. Lucas, late of Newton, dated January 30, 1908, and recorded with Middlesex South District Registry of Deeds, book 3249, page 283, and breach of condition of said mortgage and for the purpose of foreclosing the same, the following described real estate upon the premises therein described, on February 28, 1914, at 3.30 o'clock, and the following described real estate in said mortgage, viz:—

All the undivided interest of Rodney F. Lucas, as one of the four heirs of Oscar F. Lucas, in a certain parcel of land, with the buildings thereon, situated in that part of Newton called West Newton, Commonwealth of Massachusetts, containing fifteen thousand four hundred and seventy-five square feet, be the same more or less, described as follows, to wit:—

Beginning at the northwest corner of said lot at a point on Cherry street, corner of Webster street and on the north side of said Webster street and on the east side of said Cherry street, and thence running easterly on Webster street, thirty-five feet by inches (35 2-12), thence southerly one hundred and eighty-two feet (182), thence easterly eighty-four feet (84) to Cherry street, thence on said Cherry street northerly to point of beginning, or how otherwise said lot may be bounded or described; said real estate and buildings having been owned jointly by Nathaniel T. Allen, William F. Houghton and Oscar F. Lucas, all of said Newton, deceased, and their heirs, under deeds from John H. Stephenson to Nathaniel T. Allen, recorded in Middlesex Registry, in Cambridge, liber 123, folio 389, Nathaniel T. Allen to William F. Houghton and Oscar F. Lucas, liber 104, folio 365, and Oscar F. Lucas and John H. Stephenson to Nathaniel T. Allen, liber 1462, folio 551. Said interest in said premises will be sold subject to its proportion of any unpaid taxes, tax titles or other municipal liens on said premises, if any.

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## SCHOOL EXPENSES TOO LARGE

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never had the responsibility of looking at the needs of the City as a whole, my official responsibility has been naturally in looking out for the educational needs of the City, and if the other responsibility were put upon me, and if I was a member of the Board of Aldermen I might even want to reduce the expenditures more than does Mr. Blakemore. I am incapable of answering the question from the standpoint of the Board, as to whether Newton is spending too much. I came here with hopes that Mr. Blakemore would enable me to pass judgment from that standpoint. He has disappointed me thus far. Now what I would want to know is this, what are the needs and are the needs of other departments being met as in the school department? I have examined the reports of the various departments for the last three or four years and I have found with very few exceptions any analysis of the work of the departments with the work of the school department. I have found statements of the money appropriated and the amounts spent but they do not go below the surface. I want to know what the different departments are doing and their needs as considered from the viewpoint of that department. Are things being done that ought not to be done? Are things being done at a greater expense than is necessary? What consolidations should be made? Then I should want to get all these facts before me and go to the bottom and see what is necessary and then consider them in the light of what this City can afford to pay. I want a list of the needs throughout the City and what it will cost to do them, and then an opportunity to figure what effect on the City would be. I could then decide whether it would be best to have a high tax rate and let the City as a whole suffer or whether it would be advisable to make a reduction in certain departments.

"I would then be in a position to state from the standpoint of the Mayor and Board of Aldermen as to whether too much money is being spent on Schools. I can say from the educational standpoint that we are not spending too much. We are not spending enough from that standpoint. From the standpoint of the Mayor and Board of Aldermen, I cannot answer from lack of data."

In reply President Blakemore stated that the Finance Committee of the Board had made many analyses as suggested by Dr. Spaulding, particularly in items concerning the Street Department. Personally he had examined the bills of the City of Newton with those of Boston, Cambridge and the State Highway Commission, and found that for oil for street use Newton was paying the lowest price. For maintenance of streets he believed the City of Newton was paying less per mile than most cities and towns. He said that the Board now feels that it is skimping some of the departments, in which we are spending less than in other cities.

Mr. Blakemore suggested that it was his belief that the classes in the schools were too small and he also doubted the value of recitations, and believed a system of lectures by the teachers with instruction as to proper methods of home study should be of greater aid to the pupils.

He said he believed there should be an increase in the number of pupils per class. We have too many teachers. The only thing that disturbs me is this, we have a regular increase this year in the school appropriation, which I believe is some \$377,000, which is entirely out of proportion to the increase in valuation or to the increase in the number of pupils in the schools. I believe there are many things which could be eliminated from our school system without any impairment of efficiency, and that the adoption of many recommendations of the State Board of Education would be for the permanent future good of the City."

The discussion which followed will be given in our next week's issue.

Among those present were Judge Marcus Morton of the Superior Court, Representatives Henry E. Bothfield and George H. Ellis Hon. A. R. Weed, Aldermen H. D. Cabot, Fred M. Blanchard, George F. Malcomb, John S. Alley, A. Stuart Pratt, Guy M. Winslow, William S. Wagner, Joseph W. Bartlett, Frank L. Richardson, Abbott B. Rice, Walter H. Barker, Henry W. Jarvis, Joseph B. Jamieson, ex aldermen, A. E. Alvord, Charles F. Avery, L. H. Bacon, Peter C. Baker, D. Fletcher Barber, E. B. Bishop, Charles A. Brown, George P. Bullard, Allston Burr, Charles D. Cabot, Walter Chesley, Charles A. Clarke, Charles S. Enb, O. M. Fisher, James W. French, Charles B. Gordon, Burton Payne Gray, Fred M. Lowe, Alfred S. Norris, Edward M. Rumery, Thomas J. Sullivan, Fred W. Webster, Thomas Weston, Jr., R. W. Williamson, Edward F. Woods, school committeemen, Fred W. Stone, Albert M. Lyon, O. E. Nutter, William H. Rice and Wm. W. Wines, ex members of the school committee.

W. L. Garrison, C. M. Goddard, Frank H. Howes, C. S. Luitweller, Herbert Stebbins, ex councilmen Charles W. Ross, A. R. Bailey, Fred H. Butts, Freedom Hutchinson.

Among the guests present were Rev. George T. Smart, D. D., George Royal Pulsifer, John Y. Mainland, Harry L. Jones, Joseph M. Bassett, Howard Emerson, M. W. Melcher, R. B. Carter, Charles E. Rees, C. B. Gleason, Herbert K. Hallett, A. W. Fuller, Edward Moll, J. F. Dever, Jr., and Wm. Nugent.

were from Mr. Porter Gore of New York and Mrs. St. Amant, who is in the South, and they cannot express a feeling of regret at being unable to be present and hearty wishes for the success of the entertainment.

Lutz Orchestra furnished music for the dancing which followed the entertainment.

The young ladies who served refreshments included the Misses Capstick, Rosa Allen, Beatrice Allen, Susie Dwyer, Gladys Carver, Susie Fogwill, Alice Wyeth and Victoria Heald.

The ladies who served on the committee, under the chairmanship of Mrs. M. Millie Beardsley, included Mrs. Brewster, Mrs. Ashenden, Mrs. Pond, Mrs. Whitehead, Mrs. Rushforth, Mrs. Severy and Mrs. Newstead. The proceeds are for the benefit of the Church of the Messiah.

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## Waban

—Miss Barbara Wiley left today for a three weeks' visit in Chicago.

—Dr. and Mrs. Earle E. Bessey will give a dance this evening in Bessey Hall.

—Mr. Alexander L. Stephen of Chestnut street has returned from a business trip thru Maine.

—Mr. John H. Wood of Waban avenue and family left today for a few weeks' visit in Mississippi.

—Mr. William Buffum of Beacon street left on Monday for a six weeks' business trip through the West.

—Because of an injury to his hand, Mr. William Wiggin of Moffat road has been confined to the house the past week.

—At the Church of the Good Shepherd there will be services on Ash Wednesday, February 25, at 10 A. M. and 8 P. M.

—"Justice First"—a theme for Washington's Birthday," will be the topic of the pastor's sermon at the Union Church next Sunday morning.

—Mrs. Archie C. Rumery of Waban avenue is at the Newton Hospital making satisfactory recovery from an operation recently performed.

—Fourteen inch ice is being harvested from Dressers Pond, off Chestnut street. This is the first time this pond has been cut for over twelve years.

—Massachusetts Scott of Beacon street entertained on Monday a group of young friends with a Valentine party at his home last Saturday afternoon.

—"Go to Church Sunday" brought out a good attendance at the Waban churches last Sunday, there being 102 at the Church of the Good Shepherd and 162 at the Union Church.

—Mrs. Booth Kelley addressed the meeting of the Newton Equal Franchise Association on the subject of suffrage Wednesday afternoon at the residence of Mrs. Herbert Lane, Windsor road.

—Mr. Albert D. Locke of Beacon street leaves with a party of 12 on Monday for Bethlehem, N. H., where they will be guests at a house-party and enjoy mountain climbing, snowshoeing, and other winter sports.

—The Sewing Circle of the Union Church will serve a turkey supper in the vestry of the church next Friday evening, Feb. 27, the supper to be followed by an entertainment. This will be the last social supper of the season.

—The Women's Guild of the Church of the Good Shepherd gave a supper in Bessey Hall last Friday evening, when one hundred and forty sat at the tables, after the supper, dancing was enjoyed, most of the gathering staying for this feature.

—There will be a Washington's Birthday meeting under the auspices of the Young People's League of the Union Church in the vestry, next Sunday afternoon at 4.30. The meeting is arranged by Sibil Wardwell and Katherine Hovey.

—Mr. Frank A. Nichols, for the past three years letter carrier for the South Side of the town, has been transferred to the Essex street station. Mr. Nichols is one of the veterans, having served nearly thirty years for Uncle Sam, and is well liked.

—There will be a Missionary Service by the Sunday School of the Church of the Good Shepherd on Sunday afternoon at 3.30 P. M. This service will be in the church and the rector will give an address, his subject being "The Journey into Alaska."

—The Beacon Club met in Waban Hall Wednesday evening and were entertained for an hour by Mr. W. B. Flint with an illustrated talk on last summer's tour of duty of the First Corps of Cadets. After the entertainment the Club played Auction Bridge.

—Charles A. Andrews, winning first prize, a handsome mosaic pipe, and John B. May, the booby prize, a cigar lighter.

—Dr. and Mrs. Earle E. Bessey give their invitation dance in Bessey Hall this evening. Because of the numerous dances and assemblies this season, and the popularity of the new dances, there is unusual interest in dancing.

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—Mr. Glover S. Hastings of Otis street is visiting friends in Connecticut.

—Mr. George P. Whitmore is reported as ill at his home on Winthrop street.

—Mrs. Herbert L. Felton of Prince street has returned from a visit in New York City.

—Mrs. Walton S. Redfield of Otis street has returned from a visit with friends in Connecticut.

—Mr. and Mrs. Walton S. Redfield of Otis street are entertaining Mrs. Paul Carrier, of Providence.

—At the meeting of the Women's Alliance at the Unitarian parish house next Wednesday, Miss Fannie Garrison will have a paper on "The work of the Consumers League."

—Mrs. Harry L. Ayer entertained the members of the Score Club at bridge, on Monday afternoon at her residence on Prince street. Five tables were arranged and the game was auction bridge.

—Miss Ann Tiffany, granddaughter of the Rev. Francis Tiffany, formerly pastor of the Unitarian Church, visited Mrs. Willard C. Warren of Lenox street after the Yale Prom, which she attended with Miss Margaret Warren.

—Rev. and Mrs. Julian C. Jaynes of Prince street announce the engagement of their daughter, Miss Ethel Jaynes, to Dr. Donald Macomber, Harvard '06, of Boston, and a son of Mr. and Mrs. Francis E. Macomber of this village.

—Next Sunday evening at 7.30 o'clock at the Lincoln Park Baptist Church, Mrs. Katherine Lent Stevenson will speak on "Constitutional Prohibition of the Liquor Traffic in the United States." Music will be rendered by a mixed quartet furnished by the W. C. T. U.

## Newton Highlands

—Mr. Frank R. Moore of Eliot is in Bermuda for a brief visit.

—Mrs. J. W. Moore of Chester street has returned from Northampton.

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## Lower Falls

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—Mrs. Charles Matlack of Berkeley street has been entertaining her sister from Hartford, Conn.

—Mr. and Mrs. W. B. H. Dowse of Temple street have returned from a sojourn at Camden, S. C.

—Mr. and Mrs. Gardner I. Jones of Valentine street entertained the Game Club on Tuesday evening.

—Mr. Carl E. Pickhardt of Highland avenue returned Wednesday from a business trip to Chicago, Ill.

—Mr. and Mrs. H. M. Warren of Fountain street have been entertaining a relative from Montreal, Canada.

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## CITY OF NEWTON HEARING

Notice is hereby given that a public hearing will be given by the Board of Aldermen at City Hall, on Monday evening, March 2nd, 1914, at 7.45 o'clock, relative to the Boston and Albany Railroad Bridge over Boylston Street, near Meredith Avenue, which the Railroad Company proposes to replace; and as to the question of increasing the span of the bridge to cover two roadways, one on each side of B. & W. St. Ry. tracks.

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## ALDERMEN

Oppose Change in Method of Electing  
Aldermen At Large

The board of aldermen held a short and uneventful meeting Monday night with President Blakemore in the chair and Aldermen Bemis, Clark, Cox, Early and Richardson absent.

Hearings were held on petitions of the Telephone Company for poles on Chestnut street, of the Edison Co. for poles on Chaske avenue and on Norwood avenue and of Burton R. Felton, Waban hill road, to keep gasoline, no one appearing.

Mayor Childs sent in a large number of communications, largely due to the new municipal finance law which requires a recommendation from the mayor before the aldermen can act on most financial matters. They included the offer of land from Mrs. Clara S. Pulsifer for a foot path between Birch hill road and Otis street, an amendment to the order authorizing temporary loans to meet certain legal objections, \$519.12 additional for cost of ventilating the Emerson school, \$97,693.04 for city expenses in March, \$888.44 for certain February expenses, claims of the C. E. Currier Co., and of T. F. McGinn in regard to the addition to the Newton Free Library, and \$2000 additional for Removal of Snow.

The board of health also requested a change in the pedlers ordinance to charge a fee of one dollar and to give the Inspector of Provisions power to revoke such license.

Petitions were received from T. W. Travis for auctioneer license, Katherine McGrath to transfer common victualler license to Watertown street, ward 1, Burt M. Rich for license as a public weigher, Frank Tuscano for pool table at Watertown street, ward 1, Charles E. Kennedy submitting bond as private detective, Louis Meynell for hearing on betterment assessments, Waban hill road, Telephone Co. for attachments on Thornton street, and of removal of poles on Cypress street.

On recommendation of committees an automobile license was granted R. M. McLeelland, private detective license to Charles E. Kennedy and James S. Lamont, bond of Charles E. Kennedy was approved, Charles A. Person authorized to keep gasoline on Mechanic street, under regulations transfer pool tables to 277 Washington street, Edward Joyce, a wagon license, Wendell C. Hatch and Ellis L. Gates, auctioneer licenses and Thomas O'Connell permit to move building to Moreland avenue. Leave to withdraw was granted Mack and Robertson for common victualler license, Boylston street, to Charles Blakely for billiard table at 287 Washington street, and Amos Lardry for liquor transportation permit.

The Edison Co. was granted pole locations on Highland street, and attachments on Bournes street, and the Telephone Co. was granted attachments on Lexington and Thornton streets and with the Edison Co. was granted joint locations on Ward street and Cypress street.

Betterments formerly assessed on Dunster road were rescinded, other assessments levied on Rockland street and Trowbridge avenue, sewer assessment levied on land of the Wolcott school and a sewer charge on estate of R. Jones, St. James street were abated.

A hearing assigned March 2 on sewer in Blackstone terrace, a sewer ordered laid in Waverley avenue, \$3818 appropriated for purchase of sewer materials, the mayor authorized to release tax titles on land on Lincoln road, leave to withdraw ordered on petition for abatement of betterment assessments on Bishopgate road, \$97,693.04 appropriated for March expenses, \$888.44 appropriated for February expenses, and \$300 authorized for plans for tuberculosis hospital.

The appointments made at the previous meeting of Henry Bailly, as assessor for three years, of John C. Madden as a member of the board of health, and of these assistant assessors for one year, ward 1, H. B. Coffin, T. D. Murphy, ward 2, Joseph Byers, John G. Tompson, ward 3, F. E. Hunter, B. D. Farrell, ward 4, W. F. Hadlock, ward 5, Gordon McMullin, C. B. McGee, ward 6, B. V. Degan, H. H. Read, ward 7, H. C. Daniels were unanimously confirmed, 15 ballots being cast.

There was a little debate on the order requesting the Senators and Representatives to oppose Alderman Murphy's bill to change the method of electing aldermen in Newton. Alderman Murphy opposed the order as he believed each ward should elect its own representatives and he did not want Newton Centre dictating the aldermen from ward one. Alderman Pratt said that we had been so successful in getting good men to serve under the present plan that we ought not to change. Alderman Jarvis said that there were strong arguments on both sides, but he did not believe the city would be benefited by having two ward aldermen. While ward matters are important, the interests of the city

as a whole are much more so and the aldermen should be responsible to the whole city. If two ward aldermen are necessary, why should we not have all three aldermen elected by ward? Alderman Murphy said this was not a political measure and as he was anxious to have a referendum on the bill, he did not believe the Republicans had anything to fear.

The order was then adopted, alderman Murphy voting alone in the negative and the board adjourned at 8.51 P. M.

## INDOOR TENNIS

The new covered tennis courts of the Longwood Cricket Club at Chestnut Hill were formally opened last Saturday with a good attendance of members and tennis enthusiasts.

The building is easily one of the finest of its kind in the country. It is a commodious structure, with an attractive exterior of cement, having severe classical lines and semi-pillars, which has led many an uninitiated person into conjecturing that Chestnut Hill is to have a new courthouse—which is not so far wrong after all.

It contains two full-sized double courts, placed side by side, with plenty of side-room and a more than 20-foot runback. At both ends and along one side are galleries for spectators, holding two rows of seats, and in the basement are locker and dressing rooms for both women and men.

The roof is almost one big skylight, giving plenty of light during the day, and is high enough above the floor to give an impression of space and plenty of air, the latter being assured by two big ventilators.

Battleship linoleum—containing cork and therefore being both non-slippery and resilient—olive green and a third of an inch thick, covers the floors, and the walls are tinted a similar shade to the height of 10 or 12 feet. Backsets are to be hung at the ends to stop the balls from bouncing back, and painted lines make the courts stand out perfectly.

The surface is practically ideal and far ahead of the board floors of European courts, which warp and crack continually. The ball seemed to bound to a height about halfway between that produced by turf and wood or hard clay.

At night the new system of lighting will assure conditions almost like daylight.

The new courts are accessible from the railroad station, a stone's throw from the electric car line and right in front of the clubhouse, on the edge of the finest residential district of that select suburb.

## TIBBOTT-MILLIKEN

The wedding of Miss Edith Eddy Milliken, the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Nason Milliken of Newtonville and Mr. Frederick Merrill Tibbott of Boston, who will be remembered as the well-known Princeton half-back, took place last Saturday night, St. Valentine's, at the home of the bride on Russell Court, Newtonville. The ceremony was performed at 7.30 o'clock by Rev. Robert W. Van Kirk of the Lincoln Park Baptist Church, West Newton, a relative of the family.

The bride was gowned in white charmeuse, ivory white, trimmed with Duchesse and real lace, which was on her mother's wedding gown, and with her veil caught up with orange blossoms in coronet style. She was attended by her cousin, Miss Dorothy Brewer of Newton Centre wearing pink taffeta and white lace and carrying sweet peas.

The best man was Mr. David Tibbott of Princeton University, a brother of the groom, and the ushers were Messrs. Henry M. Shoemaker and D. E. Dallan of Germantown, Pa., and D. B. Wheeler of Boston.

A reception followed until ten o'clock. Mr. and Mrs. Tibbott being assisted in receiving by Mr. and Mrs. Harry N. Milliken and Mrs. Mrs. E. F. Tibbott of Germantown, Pa. Mr. Tibbott, senior, was confidential secretary to President Benjamin Harrison for 13 years and was with him at the time of his death.

After a wedding trip to Woodstock Vermont, Mr. and Mrs. Tibbott will make their home at Russell Court, Newtonville.

## VALENTINE PARTY

Miss Marian Fuller entertained a number of friends at a matinee-party on Saturday followed by a dinner at her residence on Central avenue.

The occasion was complimentary to the guest, Miss Lucy Gates of Westboro.

The dining-room was decorated in a scheme of yellow, and covers were laid for eight.

After the dinner the guests enjoyed vocal and instrumental music and cards. Among those present were the Misses Pauline Chellis, Winnifred Palmer, Susan Page, Abbie Cady, of Newtonville; Margaret Wedger of Allston; and Ruth Chapin of Chestnut Hill.

## SIXTIETH ANNIVERSARY

Mr. William H. Pearson Completes Three  
Score Years As An Odd Fellow

Last Sunday Mr. William H. Pearson of 367 Otis street, West Newton, completed three-score years as a member of Franklin Lodge, I. O. O. F., of Dorchester. Mr. Pearson has held continuous membership in this lodge, during which time he has been widely connected with its work and also that of the Grand Lodge.

Mr. Pearson for 40 years has been identified with the shoe industry, conducting factories at Woburn and Lynn and a retail establishment in Boston. In 1887 he accepted an appointment in the collector's office at City Hall, Boston, serving until March 31, 1912, when he retired.

For many years he has held membership on important committees of the Grand Lodge and Grand Encampment of the Odd Fellows of Massachusetts.

He was installed noble grand of Franklin Lodge in January, 1886, and soon afterward he was admitted to the Grand Lodge of Massachusetts, where he became active as a deputy and Committeeman.

He joined the Encampment branch of the order in Massachusetts, and was grand patriarch from Aug. 1, 1895, to Aug. 1, 1896. He was elected grand representative to the Right Worthy Grand Lodge of the United States in August, 1896, serving for two years.

He was chosen the first grand instructor of the Grand Encampment of Massachusetts, serving from 1899 to 1907. For many years he has been a member of the Grand Lodge Finance Committee. In 1889 he was chief veteran of the Veteran Odd Fellows Association of Massachusetts.

He has been for several terms one of the trustees of the Massachusetts Charitable Mechanics Association of Boston, and he was recently reelected to that office. He was one of the organizers of the Massachusetts Society of Sons of the American Revolution, six of his ancestors having served in the Continental Army.

Mr. Pearson was born at Lancaster, N. H., July 31, 1832, the son of William and Lucinda Maria (Greenleaf) Pearson. Mr. Pearson is of the seventh generation in descent from John Pearson of Lynn and Reading, the first of the name to emigrate from England to the New World.

In observance of his 60th anniversary, Franklin Lodge, I. O. O. F., will give to Mr. Pearson a testimonial banquet tonight in the lodge room at Lithgow Hall, Dorchester. In addition to Mr. Pearson, the guests are to be Grand Master Walker and suite, Grand Patriarch Johnson and suite, District Deputy Freeman L. Wallace and Arthur E. Pearson.

The committee of arrangements are all Past Grands and Veteran Odd Fellows, Walter G. Crowther, chairman; Arthur E. Hersom, Charles W. Mason, Charles H. Webster and John C. Ham.

## STEARNS SCHOOL PLAY

Preparations are being made for the entertainment to be given Monday evening, February 23 at 7.45 o'clock at the Stearns School hall, Crescent street, Nonantum, preceded on the afternoon of the same day by a performance for the children. The play is entitled "Uncle Rube" and will be given by the Stearns Senior Athletic Association with a cast consisting of George Bradley, John McNamara, William Dalton, John Mahan, Frank Gilligan, John Blakeney, Daniel Kerr, Myrtle Welden, May Fisher, Margaret Considine, and James H. Crowdie. It is a four-act comedy, rich in humor, character drawing and clever situations and has been faithfully rehearsed during the past two months.

Lester Jane, the playground instructor, is staging the play and his wide experience ensures an undoubted success. Music will be furnished by an orchestra. Mayor Childs is expected to be present at the evening performance.

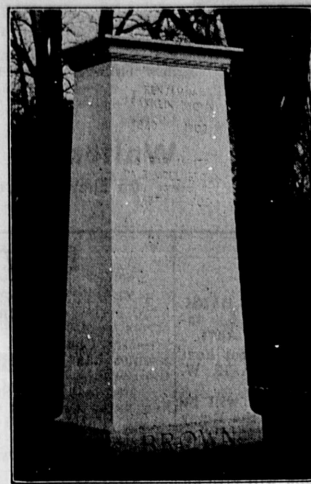
## VALENTINE DINNER DANCE

Mr. and Mrs. Edwin P. Brown, and Mr. George W. Brown of Washington street, Newton, entertained a large company of guests on Saturday evening at a Valentine dinner dance at the Country Club, Brookline.

The dinner was served at small tables in the closed veranda, and the scheme for decorations was red and white, with Valentine emblems, and an artistic arrangement of white lilies and red tulips on the tables.

Poole's Orchestra was in attendance and furnished an exceptionally fine program of music, during the dinner and for the dancing, which was in the large dining-room at the Club.

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It is the custom of the West Newton Music School to give, during the season, several Sunday afternoon concerts for the pupils and friends of the school.

For the concert on February 15th at the Peirce school hall, the West Newton Music Club kindly volunteered a very interesting program which was greatly appreciated by an audience of about two hundred. Pupils of the Music School, as usual, gave a short preliminary recital. The program included:

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Irene Forte

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Elizabeth Spinazolla  
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Piano, Miss Dai Buell  
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## THE TELEPHONE

Interesting Address by Mr. Wm. C. Bamburgh At Newton Centre

Mr. William C. Bamburgh, the advertising manager of the New England Telephone Company gave an interesting and instructive address last Tuesday night at the ladies' night at the parish house of Trinity Church, Newton Centre. Gen. James G. White presided and after the address, a collation was served, followed by dancing until midnight.

Mr. Bamburgh said:—

The knowledge of the majority of telephone users is confined to the telephone set on the desk or on the wall. Comparatively few subscribers have taken the trouble to visit a telephone exchange. What mechanism there is between two persons talking is a closed book to the multitude. 8,000,000,000 messages are sent in one year over the Bell system—an average of over 26,000,000 per diem—an incomprehensible and invisible service performed with no other tangible evidence in the operation than a bell a receiver and transmitter in the hands, a pole line out of doors—or a conduit under ground—and a toll charge at the end of the call, or a bill at the end of the month. On the railroad the traveller can observe the entire mechanism of travel. The electric light or railway plant, even the telegraph office, is well known to nearly all kinds of users of their service. The telephone is an almost silent and unknown Mercury—in order to properly serve the public in the future, it must not remain an element of mystery.

The inventor of the telephone, Alexander Graham Bell, was a teacher of acoustics and student of electricity. As a boy he had constructed an artificial skull, from gutta serena and india rubber, which when stirred by a blast of air from a hand bellows, would actually pronounce a few words in an almost human manner.

Educated in his native city—Edinburgh—and in London he had studied anatomy and music, electricity and telegraphy, and before he was of age he had become a teacher of elocution in some British schools. Among his earliest investigations he produced small discoveries in the nature of vowel-sounds, closely following his inquiry into the properties and possibilities of acoustics; each successive research leading him nearer to the inception of the instrument which bears his name.

By the time Alexander Bell moved to Boston he was deeply absorbed in his scientific dreams, continuing to work at the experimental machine which had so come to possess him. The history of those years is full of disheartenment, doubt, desperation—almost poverty and little cheer. The first real impetus which gave him hope lay in the encouragement shown by Professor Joseph Henry of Smithsonian Institution. His grand passion of science had settled upon one purpose full of enthusiasm, so that in 1876 at the Centennial Exposition in Philadelphia he succeeded in exhibiting the first telephone. Patent No. 174,465—which in principle and purpose has not been changed in thirty-five years. To that Exposition came one day Don Pedro of Brazil who greeted his old

friend Bell with outstretched hands, and the royal party inspected with much zest the proceedings of the first telephone exhibition.

Until nearly ten o'clock that night the judges, attracted by Don Pedro's interest, talked and listened by turns at the telephone. Then, next morning, they brought the apparatus to the judge's pavilion, where for the remainder of the summer it was mobbed by experts and scientists, the crude little instrument that had been tossed into an out-of-the-way corner thus becoming the star of the Centennial, and the Scientific phenomenon of the day.

The birthplace of the telephone was in Salem, where during the three years when Alexander Graham Bell was a teacher and resident in the home of Thomas Sanders, he continued his experiments with his invention, using wires which he had strung from the cellar of the house to the barn. It may be far-fetched, but there is still an historical analogy between the witchery of the telephone and the old house 500 feet distant known as the Roger Williams home, where the Salem witches were tried and condemned. The telephone, however, has not been condemned after 37 years trial, for the inventor himself was present at the opening of the Chicago New York line in 1893 and is still hale and hearty.

The activity of an Exchange is incessant. No matter how large it is, nor how great the number of magicians spinners of the web of talk, so softly do they speak into the transmitters resting on their chests, that the aggregate sound of their voices is only a sort of subdued murmur. At the busiest hours of the day the average number of calls which an operator must complete is 5 per minute. She has no time to listen to conversations, to fall asleep, to chew gum, or sew or crochet, or to talk to her associates. Furthermore, there are supervisors constantly observing the work of groups consisting of a certain number of operators, generally nine, and there is a chief operator in charge of all the switchboard operation in each exchange.

The method of making a call is unknown to all but a tiny minority of telephone users.

In all common battery exchanges, the operator is called by a lighting system. When you take the receiver off the hook a little electric lamp glows on the switchboard just below the jack in which your line ends. This notifies the operator that you are calling, and she inserts one end of a brass tipped cord into the jack, at the same time throwing a key with the other hand in order to switch her transmitter line into direct communication with the caller, and answers by saying "Number?" When you have told her what number you want, she rests the tip end of the other connecting cord for a moment on the rim of the jack bearing the number required to ascertain if it is being used by some one else. If she hears no admonitory click, which would tell her that there is a line from somewhere already connected, she will then pick up the line.

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## FINED \$200

Auburndale Artist Given Minimum Sentence In Sensational Case

Henry Orne Rider, whose case has been before the Newton Police Court for the past week, was completed Tuesday morning, when Judge William F. Bacon found him guilty on the two charges preferred against him, of having in his possession pictures tending to corrupt the morals of youth, and that of having them in his possession for sale and publication. A fine of \$100 was imposed on each complaint.

Mr. Rider, through his attorney, Joseph E. Wright, asked for a continuance of time, and the court granted the continuance to April 7, for the purpose of paying the fine.

Evidence on both sides was completed last Friday, and Tuesday the entire morning was devoted to summing up by the counsel. Mr. Wright, in his argument, presented to the Court many cases of a similar character that have been tried in various courts of the country. He also dwelt on the fact that no evidence had been presented that would constitute the circulation of the pictures, and that no proof could be shown that he had those pictures for loan. At the conclusion of the arguments he asked the Court to find Mr. Rider innocent and discharge him of the two counts.

Attorney Johnson, in his argument, assailed the method employed by Mr. Rider in obtaining young girls to pose for him in his studio. "A woman's modesty is all that she has, and if you take that away from her you might as well open the gates of Hell to her," said Mr. Johnson, "and artist, Rider takes liberties that fathers would not."

In making his finding, Associate Justice Bacon said, in part: "As to the distribution of these pictures I find that Rider took a nude photograph of Helen Z. Graham and delivered it to her with another. That, I rule, is distribution under the laws of the Commonwealth."

"No evidence has been given as to the sale or loan of these pictures. I understand from the testimony that Rider's purpose was to use them to show models in order to explain results. He never showed them to boys or intimate friends, but only to girls. There appears no immoral or improper motive. In finding him guilty on both charges I shall impose the minimum penalty."

## SCHOLARSHIP WHIST

A very enjoyable, and successful auction bridge, and whist party was given under the auspices of the Scholarship Committee of "The West Newton Woman's Educational Club" on Tuesday, Feb. 24, at the Northgate club house.

The sum realized is to be added to the "Electa Walton Scholarship Fund" so named in honor of the founder and first president of the West Newton Woman's Educational Club. Through this fund a worthy student is assisted, each year, in her collegiate course.

The auction souvenirs were awarded to Mrs. Elwell, Mrs. Phelps, Mrs. Munroe, and Mrs. Gibbs. The whist prizes to Mrs. Hodgkins and Mrs. Stimitz.

## SCHOOL EXPENSES

Discussion On This Question At the Civic Club of Newton

At the meeting of the Newton Civic Club of Newton held last week when the matter of school expenses in this city was debated by Alderman Arthur W. Blakemore and Dr. F. E. Spaulding, superintendent of schools, an interesting discussion followed, which was crowded out of the last issue of the Graphic.

Mr. C. M. Goddard said that he had taken great interest in the subject and believed that the Board of Aldermen and the School Committee should get together and discuss the needs of the City as a whole, and see if there was not something in the school department that could be cut out. He thought perhaps they might agree to get along with a less number of teachers, increase the number of pupils in the classes and maybe cut out certain studies. He believed that if necessity required the cutting down of the school department appropriation, the Committee should accept the cut as other departments were obliged to do. He said: "Nobody thinks the money is being wasted in Newton, and the question is whether or not we have a better system than we can afford."

Mr. Charles S. Ensign: "I have served both on the School Committee and the City Government. It is a most difficult question to settle, this question of what is right, between the School Committee and the Board of Aldermen, which has the granting of money. I believe some change could be made. I believe we should not have what we cannot afford to pay for. No one who knows the condition of Newton and the feeling of people outside who might become residents but are frightened on account of our high municipal expense. I agree with Mr. Goddard that the School Committee and the Board of Aldermen ought to get together and ought to have some system and see if they cannot decrease the cost of schools. It would do just as well. We cannot compete with Brookline, Milton or Wellesley because they are not of our type."

Mr. Brimblecom said: "I should like to say from my point of view and experience in watching the progress of the school budgets for a number of years, that the City Government considers the school budget from an entirely different standpoint from the other City Departments. Mr. Ross sends in his estimates for the Street Department and they are considered on their merits, they do not take Mr. Ross's judgment as the final word, and

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## AMATEUR DRAMATICS

Grace Church Choir Gives a Most Successful Show

The operatic comedy "Two Bites at The Cherry," which was presented on Saturday and Tuesday evenings, under the auspices of the choir of Grace Church, was a rare musical treat, and the hall at the Hunnewell Club was crowded to the utmost capacity at both performances.

Many amateur productions have been presented, but it is doubtful if one of more dramatic force has ever been undertaken by the choir. Under the direction of Mr. Hubert Pierce, who so skillfully managed it, the opera was excellently staged.

It is a bright pretty opera, in two parts and Mr. Samuel L. Studley, has provided it with strong sprightly music, which overflows with rollicking activity, far beyond the ordinary musical comedy jingle, and the words of the opera, which were written by Mr. Owen Clark, fairly abound with merriment, there being a laugh in almost every line.

As the success of an opera depends upon the combined efforts of author, musical director, and stage manager, it is needless to say that all three "made good" as was evidenced by the enthusiastic audiences.

These annual performances of the choir, are gaining in popularity and its reputation for furnishing fine entertainments is becoming firmly established. The musical numbers were remarkably well rendered, and the accompaniments by Mr. William G. Hamblen were admirable and wholly worthy of the singers.

Those assuming the leading characters, whose acting showed an unusual amount of talent included Miss Marie Sladen in the prima-donna role of "Amy," niece of Caleb Cutler, the proprietor of a fashionable cafe, whose part was taken by Mr. Owen Clark.

In the opening scene the audience is introduced to the cafe and its interesting patrons, seated around small tables and served by three charming waitresses, the Misses Cram, Sladen and Denton, and the head-waiter Mr. Ernest R. Clark.

A French chef and lady-killer in the person of Mr. Richard U. Clark, 3rd, added comedy to the scene especially in his amusing interviews with the proprietor.

Mr. Charles N. Sladen, in the role of "Slapper Going," a disillusionist and representing a type of choleric husband, was hilariously funny and made the most of every comical situation.

Miss Eleanor Harris as Mrs. Going.

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## BREAKS TWO TRACK RECORDS

Newton High School Defeats Lowell High By Wide Margin

Roberts was the star athlete at the dual meet held Saturday afternoon in the Newton gymnasium between Lowell and Newton High Schools. Roberts, who made a fine record at the triangular meet held the previous week, surpassed himself and captured four firsts, in the 30-yard dash, 30-yard low hurdles, high jump and shot put, making a total of 20 points for his own team. With such a start, Newton had no difficulty whatever, in winning the meet, with a total of 64 to 17 for Lowell. Carl Rogers was a good second to Roberts winning the 1000-yard run, with a new record, and being second in the mile run.

Incidentally two school records were broken and the followers of the orange and black have every inducement to feel that the boys will give a good account of themselves at the interscholastic meet tomorrow.

Newton got first place in all the distance events except the mile. This was added at the request of Lowell High, although Newton High has never run the event heretofore.

Rogers led for three-quarters of the distance, when Bowers went up and cut out a hot pace. Rogers fought him hard, but was passed on the second last lap and was beaten by a few feet by Varnum Bowers, the Lowell High captain, in 5m 2 3-5s, a new record.

In the 1000-yard event Rogers led the pack for seven laps and then his team-mate Dowd jumped to the front for a lap, but on the next round Rogers again went to the front and, as Bowers, the Lowell runner, tried to get past Dowd, he was fouled, which resulted in Dowd's disqualification, though he finished second. Rogers' time was 2:29 1-5, a new record for the gymnasium.

In the 600-yard run Heathcock of Lowell romped home a winner, but some excited admirer ran beside him in the last few yards and pushed him across the line. Accordingly, Heathcock was disqualified. Ide of Newton finished second, but he also was disqualified for fouling. Douglass Stebbins, the third man in, was given first place. In the 300-yard dash "Tip" O'Neil got the jump at the first corner and was never headed.

The Newton High relay team made up of Capt. Geo. A. Litchfield, "Tip" O'Neil, Ray Adams and Dowd, clipped one full second off the record made in the triangular meet.

Newton's strength was a revelation to the followers of the team, as well as to the Lowell athletes. It was the worst trouncing that has been handed out to Lowell High in years. During

the last five years Lowell has lost but three dual meets, Newton capturing two and Boston English High the third.

The summary:

30-Yard Dash—Won by A. S. Roberts, Newton High; George A. Litchfield, Newton High, second; "Tip" O'Neil, Newton High, third. Time 3 4-5s.

30-Yard Low Hurdles—Won by A. S. Roberts, Newton High; Taylor, Lowell High, second; Ray Adams, Newton High, third. Time, 4 1-5s.

300-Yard Run—Won by "Tip" O'Neil, Newton High; Holt, Newton High, second; Gilman, Lowell High, third. Time, 37 4-5s.

600-Yard Run—Won by Stebbins, Newton High; Douglass, Lowell High, second; Downing, Lowell High, third. Time, 1m 24 1-5s.

1000-Yard Run—Won by Carl Rogers, Newton High; Varnum Bowers, Lowell High, second; Beal, Newton High, third. Time, 2m 29 1-5s.

Mile Run—Varnum Bowers, Lowell High; Carl Rogers, Newton High, second; Berry, Lowell High, third. Time, 5m 2 3-5s.

High Jump—Won by A. S. Roberts, Newton High, height, 5ft 5 3-5in; West, Newton High, second, 5ft 4 3-5in; Mitchell, Newton High, third, 5ft 3 3-5in.

Relay Race, Newton High vs. Lowell High by Newton (Litchfield, O'Neil, Adams, Dowd); Lowell High (Delorme, Taylor, Douglass, Heathcock), second. Time 2m 27 4-5s.

Relay Race, Newton High Midgents vs. Fessenden Midgents—Won by Newton High (Frederick Burrows, Geoffrey Baker, Lawrence Trowbridge, Stuart Daniels).

Shotput—Won by Roberts, Newton High, distance 40ft 8 1-2 in; Walker, Newton, second, 38ft 7in; Dewal, Lowell High, third, 38ft.

POINT SUMMARY		
	Newton	Lowell
	H. S.	H. S.
30-yard dash	9	0
30-yard hurdles	6	3
300-yard run	9	0
600-yard run	5	4
1000-yard run	6	3
Mile run	3	6
High jump	9	0
Shotput	8	1
Relay	9	0
Totals	64	17

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## EDITORIAL

The serious difficulty in which our  
neighbors in Waltham found them-  
selves early this week in the shutting  
off of the water supply by a break in  
the main pipe, cannot occur in Newton  
where the water system has three  
connections with the metropolitan  
water supply and one with that of  
Brookline. Waltham should take  
warning by its experience of this week  
and make connections with its neigh-  
bors as soon as possible.

## UNDER THE GILDED DOME

The committee hearings apparently  
reach the high water mark this week  
with 160 matters heard on Wednesday  
and 120 on Thursday. Governor  
Walsh broke a long established prece-  
dent this week when he appeared be-  
fore the Committee on Constitutional  
Amendments in favor of the initiative  
and referendum. The governor  
believes this will prove a panacea for  
all government troubles. If this  
matter ever becomes the law of this  
state, we might as well substitute a  
slot machine for our Legislature, and  
save the time and money the General  
Court now costs. There should be no  
serious objection to the fullest use of  
the referendum principle, on matters  
which have been passed by the Legis-  
lature, but the initiative, particularly  
in this state, where the right of peti-  
tion, hearing and report are so zeal-  
ously guarded, is entirely unnecessary.

A largely attended hearing was held  
on Wednesday on a bill to provide for  
better fire protection in the metropol-  
itan district. This bill is one of the  
advance measures to deprive our  
municipalities of the right of local  
government on the plea that the larger  
interests of the districts is affected.  
The fire loss in the district for the  
four years ending January 1, 1913,  
were figured at over \$4,000,000. Mr.  
C. M. Goddard of Newton Centre, sec-  
retary of the N. E. Insurance Ex-  
change favored the bill. Mr. Goddard  
said some action was necessary to re-  
duce fire losses—an absolute loss.  
Experts estimate the country's fire  
losses at \$225,000,000 yearly and put  
the entire fire waste at \$450,000,000 or  
\$500,000,000, the latter figures covering  
cost of extra water, fire departments  
and similar losses. It is estimated  
that the buildings destroyed each year  
would line on both sides a street ex-  
tending from New York to Chicago.  
The loss of life from matches alone  
totals 600 a year.

The State, he said, should step in  
and say: "You shall not crowd people  
in lodging houses so that there will  
be loss of life in such fires." It would  
be no invasion of personal rights.  
Fifty per cent. of all fires are easily  
preventable. The cost of the com-  
mission would be saved several times  
over.

It was somewhat expected that an  
attempt would be made to reconsider  
the defeat of the Murphy bill relative  
to election of aldermen in Newton, last  
Friday, but nothing was done and the  
matter is settled so far as this session  
is concerned.

The House had considerable fun  
on Wednesday in passing the bill to  
require ice to be weighed at the cart  
when sold at retail, facetious members  
suggesting that sworn certificates of  
the weight be furnished (defeated by  
but one vote) that the ice man weigh  
the ice inside the ice chest, and that  
the ice men be placed under the super-  
vision of the Public Service Commis-  
sion. The bill was engrossed how-  
ever, and if adopted will probably in-  
crease the cost of ice next summer, as  
mine.

CHARLES T. SAUL,  
Formerly at 100 Boylston street.

## NEDELKA BENEFIT CONCERT

Next Tuesday evening, March 3, at  
the Congregational Chapel, Newton  
Centre, will be held a concert for aid-  
ing the women and children in Bul-  
garia who were left by hundreds and  
thousands in a starving and destitute  
condition.

The Nedelka Fund is named for a  
little twelve-year-old girl who came to  
this country two months ago from her  
home in Sofia, Bulgaria, to play with  
her violin in aid of her country-women.  
Her name is Nedelka Simeonova,  
and she is a patriot in the finest sense  
of the word. For her wonderful gen-  
ius is bringing gold not to herself, but  
in the form of bread and food to the  
little orphans in her country. Nedel-  
ka has been called "not a genius, but a  
miracle." Her perfection of technic,  
her temperament, her sympha-  
thetic rendition of very difficult pas-  
sages has won admiration from audi-  
ences in Europe as well as in America.

Besides Nedelka, there will be Mr.  
Frederick Huddy of the Boston Opera,  
a baritone singer of great ability, and  
Mr. John Hermann-Lund, who never  
fails to please his hearers with his  
piano selections. The program is  
varied and of interest.

## TO THE PUBLIC

This is to announce that Paul J. Burrage  
has been dropped under the business for-  
merly conducted under the name of Waitt &  
Burrage, 406 Centre St., Newton. Hereafter  
the business will be carried on by me, with  
the following addition, a main Boston Office at  
No. 45 Milk St. (International Trust Building),  
Rooms 801 and 802, Phone connections, and a  
Newton Office at No. 406 Centre St., Newton.  
Mr. George A. Trotter will be in charge of my  
Newton office, under my personal supervision.

ALBERT H. WAITT

## GOLDEN WEDDING

Mr. and Mrs. William O. Harrington  
entertained at a large reception  
on Wednesday evening at their resi-  
dence on Court street, Newtonville,  
the occasion being a celebration of  
the fiftieth anniversary of the mar-  
riage of Mrs. Harrington's parents,  
Mr. and Mrs. Joseph H. Nutt of Wel-  
lesley Hills.

Mr. and Mrs. Nutt were married  
Feb. 25th, 1864, at Sutton, Yorkshire,  
England, by Rev. Thomas Catley. They  
have ten children and twenty-seven  
grand children, all of whom are living.

A golden color scheme was carried  
out in the decorations, which were  
very beautiful. The reception room  
and living room were bright with yellow  
Kilgus roses and daffodils ar-  
ranged with ferns, palms and potted  
plants, and the golden blossoms were  
used in charming arrangement in the  
dining room.

The table decorations were very at-  
tractive, a large wedding cake which  
Mrs. Nutt had made especially for the  
occasion, was placed in the center  
and surrounded with golden decora-  
tions and yellow shaded candelabra.

During the reception a string or-  
chestra rendered Wagner's "Bridal  
Chorus" from Lohengrin, the Mendels-  
ohn Wedding March, and other pleas-  
ing selections.

Mr. and Mrs. Nutt were showered  
with congratulations and received a  
profusion of beautiful flowers and  
gifts, including gold, silver, cut glass,  
china and linen embroidery.

A pleasing feature of the evening  
was the presentation to Mr. and Mrs.  
Nutt of a box containing \$50 in gold,  
from the office force of Amory Browne  
and Company of Boston, with whom  
Mr. Nutt has been associated for the  
past 24 years. Twenty-four of the  
boys made the presentation, which  
was preceded by a golden shower of  
tinsel over the heads of the recipients.

The reception was from 8 until 10  
and Mr. and Mrs. Nutt received in an  
alcove of the bay window in the par-  
lor; and were assisted in receiving  
their guests by Mr. and Mrs. William  
O. Harrington of Newtonville, Mr. and  
Mrs. H. Iveson Nutt of Caldwell, N. J.,  
Mrs. Edith Percival of Cleveland, Ohio,  
Mr. and Mrs. John C. Nutt, Mrs. Eliza-  
beth Sherman and Miss Marie Nutt of  
Wellesley Hills.

Mrs. Joseph Nutt wore a beautiful  
gown of blue silk with shadow lace  
and crystal trimmings and corsage  
bouquet of white carnations. Mrs.  
William Harrington was gowned in  
Alice blue, with hand embroidered  
trimmings. Mrs. John Nutt wore blue  
silk poplin and carried violets and  
Mrs. H. Iveson Nutt wore a costume of  
blue satin with gold lace and orange  
trimmings. Mrs. Percival was in  
brown brocade with orange applique  
lace and burnt orange trimmings, and  
Mrs. Sherman wore a gown of wisteria  
crepe meteor and carried yellow jon-  
quils. Miss Marie Nutt wore a red  
beaded tunic over white satin, with  
corsage bouquet of violets.

The ushers were Messrs. William O.  
Harrington, Mr. Iveson Nutt and John  
Charles Nutt. At the close of the  
reception a flashlight picture was taken  
of the family group.

More than 150 guests were present  
from Boston, Dorchester, Brookline,  
Lexington, Somerville, Cleveland,  
Caldwell, N. J., and the Newtons.

IS NEWTON REAL ESTATE IN-  
JURED BY TOO MANY REAL  
ESTATE AGENTS' SIGNS?

From investigations made by the  
Newtonville Improvement Association,  
it would appear that the increasing  
number of "For Sale" signs on real  
estate is proving to be a detriment  
rather than a help in some cases and  
possibly in many, if the true effect  
could be traced. The greatest harm  
comes from having a number of  
agents' signs on the same lot or house.  
The first impression of the observer  
is that there must be some out about  
the property, if so many agents have  
been unable to sell it.

If there happens to be several such  
instances in the same neighborhood  
the impression is deepened, and the  
neighborhood fails to attract the pros-  
pective purchaser. It is not easy to  
suggest just the proper regulation of  
this evil, but if owners of real estate  
which is for sale, place it in fewer  
hands and recommended smaller signs  
it will lessen the evil and be to the  
advantage of the owner by securing  
greater efforts on the part of the few-  
er agents. The Newtonville Improve-  
ment Association is conferring with a  
committee from the Real Estate Men  
with a view to improving conditions in  
this respect and invite suggestions  
from all real estate agents or owners  
interested.

## THE BILL BOARD NUISANCE

At a meeting of the Newton Centre  
Improvement Association, held Feb-  
ruary 6th, 1914, the following resolu-  
tions were passed:

Resolved: That it is in the interest  
of the public welfare that a consti-  
tutional amendment should be passed  
which will put the regulation of bill  
boards and advertising signs com-  
pletely within the police power of the  
Commonwealth, and that this organi-  
zation co-operate in any movement to  
that end.

Resolved: That a copy of the fore-  
going resolution be sent by the sec-  
retary to the Senator and Representa-  
tives of this district with a request  
that such action be taken by them as  
will further such an amendment, and  
that copies be sent by the secretary  
to such other Improvement Associa-  
tions as may deem by him advisable,  
with a view to similar action by them.

Resolved: That E. B. Bishop, Esq.,  
and A. C. Burnham, Esq., are appointed  
a committee of this association to in-  
vestigate bills for such amendment  
pending in the Legislature and to fur-  
ther in such way as they are able the  
passing of an effective amendment.

## ODD LADIES ENTERTAIN

Boylston Lodge of Odd Ladies cele-  
brated the 24th anniversary on Wed-  
nesday evening in Denison Hall,  
Newtonville. The regular meeting  
was held in the afternoon and at 6.30  
a bounteous supper was served under  
the direction of Mrs. Charles Florence.

After supper an entertainment, con-  
sisting of songs, readings and orches-  
trated selections was given which in-  
cluded numbers by Mrs. Edith Russell's  
orchestra, a reading, "Anniversary of  
Odd Ladyship," by Mrs. May Clark;  
vocal solo finely rendered by Mr. Fred  
A. Randall; character song by Charles  
Black, the boy comedian; vocal selec-  
tions by Miss Kereans; recitation by  
Miss Hazel Fogwell; song specialty by  
Ruth Allen; duet by Mr. Randall and  
Mrs. Beardsley, and song by Mrs.  
Beardsley.

At the close of the entertainment  
dancing was enjoyed under the direc-  
tion of Mrs. M. Millie Beardsley. The  
occasion was very social and added  
one more to the many enjoyable en-  
tertainments which the Odd Ladies  
have given.

## FRESH EGGS AND VEGETABLES

Mr. A. L. Burdick of Nonantum  
street has leased and greatly improved  
the Oldreid estate, 334 Kendrick St.,  
Newton and which will be known as  
SUNNY SLOPE POULTRY AND PRO-  
DUCE GARDENS. He will keep some  
of the very best grade of poultry for  
the production of EGGS. Many choice  
varieties of VEGETABLES will be on  
sale in their season. Telephone Con-  
nection.

## FEED THE BIRDS

Boston, Mass., February 18, 1914.  
To The Editor:

May I not urge the public through  
the columns of your paper to feed the  
wild birds with grain, crumbs and suet  
while the snow lasts? Our winter  
birds do splendid work for humanity  
all winter long by devouring larvae  
and eggs of noxious insects and seeds  
of troublesome weeds. They do not  
mind the cold if well fed. But the  
snow covers their food supply and  
starves them. To the suet and meat  
scraps to trees and scatter grain and  
crumbs on hard tramped snow, or bet-  
ter on a "food-table"—a box or board  
on a post set up out of reach of cats—  
is a kindness to suffering wild crea-  
tures. But, it is more than that. It  
is a public spirited act, redounding to  
the welfare of mankind. The birds  
will repay a thousand fold in their  
work on garden, shrubbery and  
orchard. Chaff from the barn floor  
and scraps from the table are fine for  
this work. If we can afford it, hemp  
and sunflower seed are splendid. BITE  
let us each do something in the name  
of humanity, until bare ground and  
warmer weather relieve the strain.

Yours very truly,  
WINTHROP PACKARD, Sec.  
National Association Audubon Soc.

## JUDGES SELECTED

The Directors of the Newton Board  
of Trade have been fortunate to se-  
cure the services of Hon. Edwin O.  
Childs, mayor of Newton, Rev. M. A.  
Levy, pastor of the Newton Centre  
Baptist Church, and Mr. Edward H.  
Cutler, former principal of the New-  
ton High School, to judge the merits  
of the Six Best Reasons Why Newton  
is the Best Place in Which to Live,  
which have been sent in by the school  
children of Newton. About 225 re-  
plies have been received, and the  
award of the \$20 in gold offered for  
the best answers will be made as soon  
as possible.

## BRAE BURN CLUB

Mrs. H. Frederick Lesh of Newton  
Centre entertained at luncheon on  
Thursday at Brae Burn. The table  
was attractively decorated with  
yellow jonquils and covers were laid  
for 100. Before the luncheon the  
guests were entertained at bridge.

If the weather conditions are favor-  
able, there will be another skating  
carnival this evening.  
Mr. Lester Dowd of Newton Centre  
entertained a company of friends at a  
dancing party on Saturday evening at  
Brae Burn. A buffet luncheon was  
served and the decorations were pink  
roses. Dancing was in the main din-  
ing room and a fine program of popu-  
lar music was furnished by Russell's  
Orchestra. There was an attendance  
of 44 couples.

## NEWTON VS. BROOKLINE TODAY

The postponed game between New-  
ton and Brookline High School lock-  
ey teams in the Triangular League  
will be played this afternoon on the  
Cypress street rink, Brookline. New-  
ton High has beaten Cambridge Latin,  
while Brookline High was beaten by  
Cambridge. Thus Newton, if it wins,  
will capture the championship,  
whereas a win for Brookline High will  
create a triple tie.

## Newtonville

—NEWTON CO-OPERATIVE BANK,  
52nd series opens in March. 5% in-  
terest paid.

—Mrs. Luke F. Ashley is ill with  
pneumonia at her home on Court  
street.

—Miss Alexander Drake of Russel  
street is spending a week in New  
Jersey.

—Mr. and Mrs. James H. Rand of  
Foster street have gone to Waynes-  
ville, N. C.

—Rev. Dr. John F. Brant of Oak-  
wood road has recovered from his re-  
cent illness.

—Mr. E. S. Nakashian of Court  
street left last week on Wednesday  
for a trip to Egypt.

—Mr. and Mrs. Henry H. Wilcox of  
Birch Hill road are entertaining Mrs.  
Turnbull of St. John, N. B.

—Mr. Shepherd M. Crain, who spent  
the week end at his home on Cabot  
street, has returned to Hartford, Conn.

—Mr. and Mrs. William O. Harring-  
ton of Court street are entertaining  
Mrs. Edith Percival of Cleveland,  
Ohio.

—Mr. Frank T. Benner and Miss  
Benner are at the Highland Villa,  
where their residence on Trowbridge  
avenue is being repaired.

—The ladies of the Epworth League  
of the Methodist Church presented a  
pleasing little drama entitled "The  
Blundering Mr. Brown" on Wednesday  
evening in the Methodist vestry.

—Mr. Herbert Richardson of High-  
land avenue has returned from a trip  
to the White Mountains, where he has  
been enjoying winter sports with the  
members of the Appalachian Club.

—The ladies of the Methodist  
Church held an all day sewing meet-  
ing on Wednesday in the vestry, to aid  
in the work for the Newton District  
Nurses Association. At noon a basket  
luncheon was served.

—Mr. Charles W. Leonard and his  
son, Mr. Edgar Leonard, sailed recent-  
ly on the Lusitania for a short tour  
in Europe. They will meet Mr. and  
Mrs. Charles R. Leonard in London, and  
expect to sail from Liverpool about  
the 28th of March.

—Mrs. Wm. H. Lothrop of Central  
avenue, formerly Miss Alice Higgins,  
secretary of the Associated Charities  
of Boston, is to speak at the meeting  
of the Women's Association of the Im-  
manuel Baptist Church, Newton, on  
next Wednesday at three o'clock.

—A dramatic entertainment, entitled  
"The Rebellion of Mrs. Barclay," was  
presented at the Universalist Church  
parlors last evening under the direc-  
tion of the Lend-A-Hand Society. It  
was a very successful entertainment  
and there was a large attendance.  
Dancing followed the entertainment.

—Mr. Dudley Warner Fitch, at one  
time organist of Grace Church in this  
city, and at present organist and choir-  
master of Grace Church, Lawrence,  
Mass., has received a call to become  
organist and choirmaster of St. Paul's  
Pro-Cathedral in Des Moines, Iowa.

—Mr. Fitch has not announced his in-  
tentions as yet, but it is thought that  
he will accept the call.

—Mrs. Henry A. Young of Walnut  
street was the hostess at a very elab-  
orate and dainty bridge on Wednesday  
evening at the Brae Burn Club. Twen-  
ty tables were arranged in the large  
dining room and the game was auc-  
tion bridge. The decorations in the  
small dining room where tea was set  
out, were very beautiful, yellow jon-  
quils and violets in pleasing combina-  
tion being arranged on the table.

## NEWTON COOPERATIVE BANK

Statement to Bank Commissioners, October 13, 1913

Real Estate Loans	\$809,000.00	Dues Capital	\$693,369.00
Share Loans	11,025.00	Profits Capital	106,862.96
Mortgages	2,800.00	Guaranty and Surplus Funds	21,200.00
Real Estate	1,588.70	Sundries	8,702.23
Sundries	1,048.41		
Cash	4,408.85		

J. W. FRENCH, President \$829,849.69 J. C. FULLER, Treasurer \$829,849.69  
Meetings at Newtonville First Tuesday each month

## West Newton

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terest paid.

—Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Blodgett of  
Temple street are in New York City.  
—Mr. James O. Barnard of Hillside  
avenue is in Montana on a business  
trip.

—Mr. and Mrs. George A. Frost of  
Chestnut street have returned from the  
South.

—Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Day of Chest-  
nut street have returned from a visit  
at Camden, N. C.

—Mrs. James R. Carter of Mt. Ver-  
non street returned Sunday from a  
visit in New York.

—Mr. J. J. Mitchell of Balcarras  
road has returned from a business  
trip to Philadelphia.

—Miss Rachel Whidden of Sterling  
street has returned from a visit at  
Northampton, Mass.

—Mr. and Mrs. F. E. Jones of Ches-  
nut street have returned from a short  
visit in New York City.

—Mrs. Glover S. Hastings of Otis  
street has returned from a visit with  
friends in Waterbury, Conn.

—Miss Marjorie W. Lincoln of Otis  
street gave a largely attended tea on  
Thursday last from 4 to 6.

—Mr. Charles Burton Ames of Am-  
herst College spent the week end at  
his home on Highland street.

—Mrs. A. R. Smith of Berkeley  
street has returned from a visit with  
her daughter at Cleveland, Ohio.

—Mr. Roy Merchant of Sewall street  
was the guest of friends at Dartmouth  
College over Washington's Birthday.

—Mr. Robert Gorton and party of  
Berkeley street enjoyed winter sports  
at Mt. Vernon, N. H., over the hol-  
idays.

—Mr. Thomas A. Crimmins of Dart-  
mouth street sailed on Friday last  
from New York for London. He will  
be absent six weeks.

—Mrs. Frederick Everett Jones has  
sent out cards for an at home on Wed-  
nesday afternoon from 4 until 6 at her  
residence on Chestnut street.

—Hon. Charles E. Hatfield of Cher-  
ry street entertained his usual party  
at his camp at Center Harbor, N. H.,  
over the holiday.

—Hon. Charles E. Hatfield was ten-  
dered a complimentary dinner last  
night at the Parker House by about  
fifty prominent Republicans of the  
state.

—Mr. Arthur T. Lovett of Mt. Ver-  
non street has returned from a trip  
to the White Mountains where he has  
been enjoying winter sports with the  
Appalachian Club.

—Mr. and Mrs. D. G. Wing of Otis  
street have returned from Littleton,  
N. H., where they were the guests of  
Mr. and Mrs. A. S. Wood, former resi-  
dents of this place.

—Senator John W. Weeks will be  
the speaker next Friday at the Kaffee  
Klatsch of the Master Builders' As-  
sociation of Boston, as the guest of Simp-  
son Bros. Corporation.

—Mrs. Charles W. Leatherbee and  
daughter, Miss Eleanor W. Leather-  
bee, of Mt. Vernon street, returned on  
Monday from a visit with Mr. Robert  
W. Leatherbee at Chicago, Ill.

—Owing to the poor condition of  
the roads for motoring the dinner-  
dance and week end party which the  
members of the Supper Dancing Club  
were going to give at the Wayside Inn  
was indefinitely postponed.

## Newton Centre

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terest paid.

—Mr. L. M. Sampson of Bowen street  
has gone South for the month of  
March.

—Mr. L. E. Hopkins who has been  
ill at his home on Montvale road is  
able to be out.

—Mr. Foster of Bristol, N. H., is  
visiting Mr. and Mrs. Herbert T. Lane  
of Sumner street.

—Mrs. Robert Gould of Carlyle  
street is entertaining his sister from  
Nova Scotia this week.

—Mrs. Charles Oulton and family of  
Attleboro are visiting Mrs. S. A. Wal-  
ker of Pelham street this week.

—Mr. Alexander Montgomery is  
confined to his home on Warren street  
with a severe attack of the grip.

—The Y. P. S. C. E. of the First  
Baptist Church will hold a social in  
the chapel next Wednesday night.

—Miss Josephine Darrell who has  
been ill at her home on Crescent ave-  
nue with tonsillitis is able to be out.

—Mr. Norman Thompson who has  
been ill at his home on Braeland ave-  
nue with an abscess in his head is  
able to be out.

—On Saturday afternoon, from 2.30  
until 5 o'clock, a cake and candy sale  
will be held in the parlors of the Uni-  
tarian Church, under the auspices of  
the Woman's Alliance.

—There will be given tomorrow  
evening at the Methodist Church under  
the auspices of the Epworth  
League a musical entertainment. The  
proceeds are to go toward buying a  
new piano.

—Tuesday was "Church Day" at the  
Methodist Church. The Home Mis-  
sionary Society met at 10.45 followed  
by a basket lunch at 12.30. The Art  
Society met at 1.30, school children  
were invited to the lunch.



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—Mr. J. Edward Healey of Lower Falls has removed to 47 Elliot street.

—Mr. and Mrs. Nolte and family of Weston are guests at Vernon Court hotel.

—Mrs. Whorden and family of 50 Pembroke street have removed to Boston.

—Mr. Joseph Cawthorne, Jr., of Brighton, has moved into the house at 64 Lincoln road.

—A book social was held Wednesday night in Channing Church parlors by the Unity Club.

—Mrs. Emma Pyle of Fayette place has been entertaining Miss R. Dearth of Wayland.

—The house at 130 Galen street, which was recently damaged by fire, is being remodelled.

—Rev. Geo. S. Butters, D. D., of Auburndale will preach at vespers in Eliot Church next Sunday.

—Mr. Dorsey has purchased the single frame house and 4000 feet of land at Nonantum place.

—Mr. H. C. Jealous and daughter of Boston, are among the guests arriving recently at Vernon Court.

—Mrs. Gero and family of Charlesbank road have moved into their new home at 59 Richardson street.

—Mr. and Mrs. George H. Butler of Washington street have moved into the house at 295 Tremont street.

—Rev. George Hodges, D. D., preached Wednesday evening at the Lenten service at Grace Church.

—Mr. and Mrs. Charles Ernst of Peabody street have moved into the house at 427 Washington street.

—Mrs. Peasley and Miss A. Peasley of Dorchester have moved into their new home at 18 Thornton street.

—Mr. and Mrs. Vernon C. Holmes have returned from their wedding-trip and are residing at 28 Jefferson street.

—Mr. Willard L. Sampson has been having alterations and improvements made at his residence on Tremont street.

—Mrs. H. J. Danforth, who has been visiting Mr. and Mrs. Edward Brine, has returned to her home in Manchester, N. H.

—Mr. George Sherwood Eddy, a missionary from China, addressed the meeting Friday evening at the Methodist Church.

—Mrs. C. K. Winchester and Miss Miriam Winchester of Holyoke are guests this week of Mrs. J. W. Cone of Linder terrace.

—Mr. Arnold Scott, a former resident of Kenrick park is a candidate for moderator next Monday at the Dedham town meeting.

—Miss Lois Cone of Linder terrace gave a sugar party to her little friends on Thursday afternoon in honor of her eighth birthday.

—A gust of wind blowing a curtain against a gas jet started a small blaze Tuesday in the home of Mr. Harry W. on Church street.

—There was a small fire Monday caused by the explosion of a kitchen stove in the home of Mr. William J. Hylands on Waban street. The kitchen and furnishings were badly damaged.

—At a meeting of the Woman's Auxiliary held Wednesday afternoon in the association building, Y. M. C. A., Mr. Warren F. Spaulding, secretary of the Massachusetts Prison Association, gave an address on "The New View of the Bad Boy."

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### THE TELEPHONE

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ected to the line wanted, she pushes in the plug, depresses the key which rings the bell of the person called for and completes the connection desired.

Two other signal lamps play a part in the operation. They are at the points where the connecting cord is drawn up from the shelf of the switchboard. These lamps, as they glow and are extinguished, indicate to the operator when the subscriber called has answered, tell her if one of the persons talking hangs up the receiver of his telephone and the other person is holding the line, and finally notify her when the conversation is over. Consequently she has no need to listen to what you are saying. If you should want to recall her while you are talking, all you have to do is to move the receiver hook of your telephone slowly up and down, which makes your signal flash, and she will "come in on the line," as telephone people say. You can then explain your difficulty to her.

When she cannot meet your wants, which is rarely, she will connect you with the Chief Operator, who will look into your troubles. This method of operating gives the public the advantages of secret service with the very great added advantage of having expert assistance within call.

With the increase in the business of exchanges the burden grew unmanageable. It was necessary to apportion certain subscribers to certain operators who must be able to put those subscribers in communication with all the rest. That necessity caused the birth of the multiple switchboard, wherein the wires from every telephone in an exchange are branched when they meet the switchboard, and those branches run to each operator's position.

To each operator is apportioned a certain number of incoming lines, the number varying in a general way to correspond with the number of calls made by these subscribers. But each operator has on the board before her a jack for every line in the exchange, so that she can connect any one of her incoming lines with any subscriber asked for without leaving her seat.

The most remarkable exhibit of complicated construction is to be seen in the back of a switchboard. There are the bundled ribbons of wires, and the relays and pilot lamp, and the multitude of intricate and yet connected parts, making an apparent confusion. But, by the telephone expert any wire can be picked from what is to him a systematic distribution of the several million parts. The switchboard installers work among these complicated ribbons of wires with an accuracy that is marvellous.

Many of the switchboards are 100 feet in length, that of the Main Exchange in Milk street, Boston, being 300 feet long, and having 155 operating positions and 260 employees. These hundred operators are not always on duty there, for the load, as it is called, is not uniformly heavy. When the load is light one operator covers the service at two or more positions.

(Here a chart of a typical day's fluctuation in this town was shown.) You will notice that the load takes a quick rise to 1145 calls per hour between 9 and 10 A. M. and a drop to 492 calls an hour between 12 and 1 P. M., rising again twice at one o'clock and at five to over 650 calls for those hours, and again between 7 and 8 o'clock to over 840 calls per hour and slowly falling again until after ten when the least demands on the service prevail generally in all exchanges. But there is never an instant, night or day, when the switchboard is unattended, and the slightest emergency call needs to be answered.

During the hours from 7 P. M. to 7 A. M. the load is a little more than one per cent. of the entire 24 hours.

In order to meet this variation of a day's business in each exchange, "switchboards are so designed and constructed that the overloading of operators, which produces poor service, and the underloading of operators, which produces extravagance and waste, are avoided as far as possible."

One of these big switchboards has cost the New England Company nearly three-quarters of a million dollars, every dollar's worth of it in efficient condition; and that means A-1, for the slightest defect of transmission results in poor service or no service at all.

When a faulty condition is discovered it is reported to the wire chief who makes tests through his own switchboard and testing plant, from which vantage ground he can by various observations discover the fault with any particular line. These faults may be in the switchboard wiring, the frames, or out along the lines of wire in the open country, or in the conduits under the city streets. By his delicate instruments he can send his trouble hunters to the exact spot to repair the defect—and they often work at night. Frequently troubles are located and repaired with out the subscribers being aware that anything was being done on his line, the trouble man speeding to the defective point on his motor cycle.

There are some peculiar troubles hunted out. In a suburban exchange recently one of the tiny electric switchboard lights continued to glow and no response could be got by the operator. The test revealed the trouble at the house of the subscriber. The inspector found there that the children had stretched the green cord of the telephone across two chairs and were using it as a clothes line, their dolls' wet clothing being hung on the line, thus short circuiting it so that it was useless.

Who does all the work necessary to keep each move in the progress of any expected call continually and efficiently equipped? An army of loyal employees who know that their motto is "I serve," who know too that the public's demands represent their duties; who have been trained in the methods and operating practice devised and tested by men whose patient study and experience means well nigh perfection in the work they superintend.

The New England army is over eleven thousand strong. There are five thousand operators, and the general rule is that they must be a month or more in a school before they make their first public appearance at any switchboard.

Take the school in Boston, for example. Every pupil is examined mentally, morally, physically; for only capable, healthy and sturdy girls are suited to the work which requires patience, speed, intelligence and faithfulness. Most of them are High School graduates. In Boston we have 15 teachers and an average of 100 pupils about all the time. During the school days operators are paid weekly wages; they attend lectures; they study at switchboards; they have rest rooms and lunch rooms quite the same as the accepted operators, and they begin to absorb the spirit of the public service from the first day of study. There is an ever unfinished romance to the business which brings a new promise each day to the older in the service, so that the education of an operator does not—cannot—cease when she graduates from the school.

Some day some great artist will paint the ideal telephone girl and will represent to the world the clear headed, bright eyed, deft handed and unknown spirit of the exchanges who links the presence of friends, of business associates, in a manner more wonderful than the deft magician or successful spiritualist could on earth.

By her manner of speaking the 115 standard phrases composed for her use, each call that is made receives the influence of the operator's personal attention, and consequently its portion of content or disturbance, and by her occasionally extraordinary services is revealed the extent of the mechanism at our command. She has the advantage of doing her work in pleasant and healthful surroundings and in an orderly manner, made almost military because of the technical requirements.

The Company does not believe in welfare work which involves the prying into the personal affairs of employees. It believes in individualism and the rights of the individual, but it also recognizes the economic value of proper working conditions. Hence in most of the exchanges there are rest rooms for periodical relaxation, and lunch rooms; the rest room comfortably furnished and supplied with magazines and current papers, the lunch room equipped with cooking utensils, and each exchange provided with modern type lockers for operators' clothing. Roof gardens and out of door retreats are provided for summer days, and much homelikeness is infused into the office moments through the charm of the surroundings. A matron supervises the needs of the operators in the larger exchanges, playing the part of the business mother, and a woman physician is retained to look after the hygiene of the force. Individual telephone sets are apportioned to each operator as an important hygienic precaution.

The chief operator at Gloucester was asked a unique question a few days ago by a subscriber who evidently thinks the telephone equal to any emergency. He said he was going to buy some goods by telephone in Boston and would like to pay for them by dropping the money into the slot at the automatic pay station from which he was talking.

Emergency service is the term now applied to the service rendered by operators to persons calling for the immediate help of a doctor, the fire department, or police, or the ambulance, or neighborly assistance. It is a service which is productive of the best sympathetic efforts of the operators.

I want to show you right here how a merchant in Springfield who was quarantined with scarlet fever, and was served with a telephone before noon, it being handed through the window by the installer to the nurse. The sick man saved several large contracts which were jeopardized by his enforced imprisonment.

Frequently the extensive search made to locate persons in unexpected quarters entitles the operator to all the praise bestowed upon her. Many a sick person has been promptly relieved of pain; many an injured one has been saved from death or permanent damage; many an ambulance has been directed to the spot of an accident; many a fire has been halted by the prompt call of neighbors and the fire department, and in many cases bravery on the part of the operator has been exhibited in so noble a manner that many names are already on the honor roll.

Time, as you all know, constitutes an important part of telephone service. The average time taken by the operator in answering a call is four seconds. Time is a deceitful god whom we can rarely believe in, especially when telephoning. It sometimes seems eternity to the impatient man who has been waiting four seconds for an operator. From the telephone standpoint, she is always ready, and the few seconds she takes may practically be said to be instantaneous. Then again, three or five minutes are a very short time when a pleasant business or social conversation is being carried on at a toll rate.

In every exchange there is an information department, which is the most encyclopedic information which the operator cannot give. "Information" really handles irregular calls. Selected because of their tact and experience the information operators are provided with facilities for giving telephone information by referring to copies of the directory kept alphabetically, numerically, and by street number. They put many a wavering or careless subscriber on the right track and contribute much to making the service accurate and complete.

Quite important, too, in telephone service is the Directory, which has become the standard record of people worth knowing or doing business with, and which as a book is consulted more often than any book in the world. It is an institution in itself. In the accurate preparation of the directory, a card index is kept of every subscriber by name and telephone number and classified under exchanges. An error in the directory would mean thousands of seconds lost in switchboard operation. As soon as a new subscriber signs a contract and is assigned a number, his name with number is placed in the index. Change of names, addresses, and numbers are made almost instantly, and hour by hour the keeping of the great catalog up to the minute is maintained. In one year there are over a million copies of the directories distributed through the New England states.

The present Boston directory contains about 100,000 names. In 1878 there were 67 subscribers in Boston, and the practice then was to call for the party wanted by name. In 1886 the list contained 4800 names. Five years later 2100 names had been added, and only ten years ago there were but 13,300.

The least that can be said of the directory is that it is accurate, and the most that can be said is that it is made to use. The company expects the subscriber to give the right number when calling just as the railroad expects the traveler to buy the right ticket when traveling. As in the days when we played marbles "Near's don't count." If the number isn't given right, the everything will go wrong. The ideal will be attained when no one transposes figures or "thinks" of a number as in a guessing game.

In telephoning there are three parties to every call—the person calling the company and the person called. The company is a delicate organism built by engineering experts whose united heads comprehend every item of the constructed plant. The traffic department is trained to know how that plant will serve the needs of subscribers. Every stress and strain is charted by them, the ability of every part is measured and tested. And let me add right here that even though the public may think a corporation is frozen faced and soulless, the thousands within its working ranks know that the company which is doing the most personal service of any public corporation is human—so that co-operation on the part of employees means that if one man can't do what is wanted, he will find someone else who can and will.

In such an organization efficiency can be maintained only by a complete understanding and agreement between the three departments, resulting in a co-operation which does not embarrass the company in its relations with the public.

**What the Telephone Means to Newton South Subscribers**

Average number of calls handled daily in Newton South 15,000

Average number of local calls handled daily 6,000

Average number of incoming calls daily from other exchanges 5,000

Average number of outward calls daily to other exchanges 4,000

Average number of daily calls between Newton South and Boston, (both ways) 3,000

Miles of travel saved every day by use of telephone between Newton South and Boston 54,000

Number of telephone stations connected with the Newton South exchange 2,199

Number of subscribers 1,885

Increase in local telephones during five years 730

Increase in local telephones during the last year 170

Number of employees permanently employed in Newton South 36

Miles of telephone wire connected with the Newton South exchange 6,100

Miles of wire in central office 200

Number of trunk



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**B. F. KEITH'S THEATRE**—What is pronounced by all who have seen it to be the most marvelous and astounding exposition of animal training and intelligence ever exhibited in this country is promised for B. F. Keith's Theatre next week, in Miss Orford's wonderful troupe of elephant actors. These two gigantic three and one-half ton performers, with a cute little baby elephant, go through a most astonishing routine of tricks. Another big spectacular feature of the week will be supplied by Fred Karno's comedy company in "A Night in an English Music Hall," showing the various types encountered in one of these resorts, and with a company of sixteen comedians and a big stage setting. Other features, many of them new to Boston, will be Ray L. Royce, the famous comedian of "York State Folks," Mrs. Gene Hughes and her company in "Youth," Devine and Williams, the two drummers; Leighton and Jordan, two Boston girls; Raymond and Bain, in a musical comedy, "Locked Out;" Carley and Brown, the dancing dandies; and the Three Renards, daring feats on the aerial rings.

**BOSTON THEATRE**—"Way Down East" with its living breathing characters, its intense story and its almost real snow storm continues to be the attraction at the Boston Theatre. Scenically the play is produced in the same elaborate manner it has been in other years. "Way Down East" is the first of many successful plays to be presented at the Boston Theatre at popular prices, ranging from 25c in the upper part of the house to \$1.00 for the best orchestra seats. The management has decided, commencing Monday, February 23rd, to inaugurate a new policy, and will in the future offer four matinees weekly—Tuesdays—Wednesdays—Fridays and Saturdays. The Tuesday—Wednesday and Friday afternoon performances will be known as "Bargain Matinees," all seats being offered to the public at 25c and 50c.

**PLYMOUTH THEATRE**—"Under Cover" is on the eve of its twelfth week at the Plymouth Theatre, Boston. One has only to see this play to learn why it has scored one of the biggest successes seen in Boston in many years. It has already scored the season's record run and is now the most talked of play in Boston. There is a magnetic charm about "Under Cover" that makes an emphatic appeal to all classes of theatregoers. It travels with an unusual rapidity that you can scarcely keep pace with. It is full of excitement, surprise and thrills with an ending that is positively exhilarating. The regular matinees at the Plymouth are given on Thursday and Saturday. Out of town playgoers should bear in mind the fact that this play will not be seen in any other New England city.

**PARK THEATRE**—It is rarely one has the opportunity of sitting through such a delightful piece of work as George Bernard Shaw's latest comedy "Fanny's First Play" which the Messrs. Shubert and Granville Barker will present at the Park Theatre commencing Monday evening, March 2nd direct from a run of two years in London and one year in New York. "Fanny's First Play" will be presented by Granville Barker's original English company which is bound to make an impression on the theatregoers of this city by its remarkably fine interpretation of this clever satire. There is enough wit, satire and humor in "Fanny's First Play" to furnish a dozen comedies. In it the sardonically brilliant Irishman furnishes an evening of sheer delight and there is perhaps no play on the stage today which is so successful a vehicle on the part of its author for taking up the absurdities of a very limited class of persons and creating therefrom a humor the appeal of which is as universal as it is delightful and entertaining.

**CASTLE SQUARE THEATRE**—There will be a double event at the Castle Square next week. The long expected production of David Belasco's romantic drama, "The Girl of the Golden West," and the reappearance of Miss Mary Young. As the girl, Miss Young will be the bright and shining light of the play, and surrounded by a multitude of rough characters of the "California mining days of '49" she will take part in a thrilling drama. The dramatic situations of which the play is made and in which she is involved are romantic in the extreme, and the stage settings add to the picturesqueness and dramatic power of the play. In addition to Miss Young, the cast will include Mr. Craig's entire company, with Mr. Carleton as Dick Johnson, and Miss Colcord, Mr. Ormonde, Mr. Meek and Mr. Walker in other leading roles.

**LIEDERHEIM RECITAL**  
Another of those artistic recitals was given last Monday evening at the Liedersheim School of Vocal Music, Auburndale, Mass., by the Music History class of the school. Miss Ruth Lincoln Woodbury, instructor. Professor Clarence G. Hamilton of the department of music, Wellesley College, and member of the Liedersheim Advisory Board, opened the program with a highly interesting talk on "The Development of Song." So skillfully did he depict the growth of song and song writing that the large audience was keenly alive with interest in the program abridged to be given, which was strictly chronological in arrangement and designed to show by representative writings of composers from the earlier times down to the nineteenth century music, all the selections or studies being from the classic writers.

**BOSTON OPERA HOUSE**—While the outstanding event of the forthcoming week at the Boston Opera House will be the first appearance for the season of Nellie Melba, the rest of the performances scheduled for the week will be of the highest order. The week will begin with a concert at the Opera House on the evening of Sunday, March 1st, when Maria Gay will be the principal soloist. "Don Giovanni" will be the first opera of the week, beginning at 7.30 on Monday evening. This performance will be directed by Felix Weingartner, and sung by the same splendid cast, with one exception, as that of the season's premiere of the Mozart opera, Alice Nielsen will sing the role of Zerlina, one of her most famous and most widely-admired impersonations and Vanni Marcoux will be the over-galant Don.

"Romeo and Juliette" will be given its first performance by the Boston Opera Company on Wednesday evening, March 4, at 7.45, with Mr. Strony conducting. The title roles will be taken by Alice Nielsen and Lucien Muratore, names which in themselves are sufficient warrant that Gounod's music will receive worthy and satisfactory interpretation.

On Friday evening, "Die Meistersinger" will be repeated, for the first time under the baton of Felix Weingartner. The cast will be that of the last performance of the Wagner work, including Leon Laffitte as Walther, Paolo Ludikar as Hans Sachs, Robert Leonhardt as Beckmesser, and Elizabeth Amsden as Eva.

At the Saturday matinee, "La Boheme" will be repeated, serving as the vehicle to re-introduce Nellie Melba. The great and beloved prima donna will sing Mimi, Mme. Beriza will be the Musetta, Mr. Laffitte the Rodolfo, Mr. Danges the Marcello, Mr. Pulcini the Schaunard, and Mr. Marcondes the Colline. Mr. Moranzoni will conduct this performance, which promises to be a memorable one.

On Saturday evening, the popular "Jewels of the Madonna" will be given at the regular scale of halved prices. Mr. Zenatello will appear as Gennaro for the first time this season, likewise Mme. Gay as Carmela, Miss Amsden will be the Melliella, and Mr. Blanchard the Raffaele.

The bill for the evening of Saturday, Feb. 28 has been changed. Instead of "Samson et Dalila," as announced, "La Traviata" will be given, with Miss Scotney and Mr. Tenlong in the leading roles.

#### LODGES

Division 10, Ladies' Auxiliary, A. O. H., conducted a successful whist and dancing party Tuesday evening in A. O. U. W. Hall, West Newton. The winners at whist were Mrs. B. Franey, Mrs. G. Gould, Miss E. Durant, Mrs. Hurley and Mrs. Whalen. The dancing was in charge of Miss Catherine Foley and Miss Margaret Kiley. The committee of arrangements comprised Mrs. Helen M. Ryan, Mrs. C. Bryson, Miss Mary Hanne, Miss B. Franey, Miss Margaret Moran, Mrs. J. Moriarty, Mrs. Catherine Powers and Miss Mary Whalen.

#### SCHOOL EXPENSES

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The Committee cuts the appropriations to suit the needs of the City. When the School Budget comes in it seems to be surrounded with a halo of sanctity. The Board knows nothing about the matter and merely adopts the request of the School Committee, and that is the reason why school appropriations have increased so rapidly. Now another point, Dr. Spaulding has said that the policy of the School Board has not been to make a college course of the High School, but to broaden out of the curriculum.

"It seems to me that ought to cease in Newton. We have a curriculum that would take a man 12 to 15 years to study if he took every subject in the Newton High Schools. It seems to me that we can effect considerable economy by reducing the number of studies and it would be policy for the School Committee to reduce the number of studies and get down nearer to the three R's, in which some of us still believe. If we reduce the number of studies, we can, in the course of the next few years, get down to a reasonable basis of cost."

Rev. George F. Smart: "I have been very much interested in this discussion. It seems to me there are two things an education stands for. First: It ought to make a man live, and second: it ought to help him get a living. I do not believe the vocational training necessarily makes a man a better citizen. It does not always follow that a man is to stay at the occupation in which he starts. I never dreamed of being a person. What we ought to give a man is a general knowledge of the whole world first, its history, etc., and then perhaps specialize afterwards. It seems to me that in the game of life the human man is at the top of the ladder and the expert in second position. We place too much emphasis on the industrial side of life and not enough on the humanitarian and spiritual side."

Mr. Allison Burr: "It gives me great pleasure to be here this evening. It seems to me we are somewhat in the position of the darky in the thunderstorm, who knelt down and prayed, 'Dear Lord, please what we want is less noise and more light.' Dr. Spaulding has given us a very interesting talk from the standpoint of the educator. It seems to me the question is as stated by Mr. Goddard, Can we afford it or not? I want to call your attention to the matter of the grades and it seems to me that is where the matter rests. Mr. Burr here quoted figures showing that as compared to other cities and towns in the State, Newton was very low in the number of pupils per teacher. He also stated that for maintenance of schools the cost in Newton was the highest in the State."

"The question seems to be a financial one. Since 1900 the population of Newton has increased 18.5 per cent., the assessed valuation 30 per cent., and the number of pupils 40 per cent. The smallest item and personal property the largest, and I believe we are very much nearer our ultimate valuation than 10 years ago. I think this rapid rise in total valuation has benefited the schools at the expense of all the other departments."

Mr. William Lloyd Garrison suggested that it might be well to appoint a Committee from members of the Civic Club to take up this question with the School Committee and with the Board of Aldermen and perhaps make some recommendations to the Board. He believed that from his experience on the School Committee that the matter could best be settled in this manner.

Judge Marcus Morton stated that he had been a member of the School Committee for a number of years and that every year the question of the school budget was taken up with the Board of Aldermen, and it was found impossible to reduce the expenses and yet keep up the policy which the City Government had adopted.

He suggested the carrying out of Mr. Garrison's suggestion, and believed that Dr. Spaulding would welcome any attempt to study the matter and relieve the tension of the present situation.

Prof. Guy M. Winslow said: "There is one point of view that has not been taken up, and that is what the influence will be if the different municipalities and certain towns continue to build up their public school systems in the way that Newton has built up hers, on the private schools. The increased expenditure in the Newton Schools, the development of smaller classes, the teaching of vocational work may make it very hard for private schools because they in a way live very well upon defects of the public schools. From my point of view, not as a member of the Finance Committee, so much as from the standpoint of educational matters it seems to me the idea is to diminish the number of studies in classes. The private schools as a rule diminish the number of pupils per class below 20 and even as low as ten and believe it a thoroughly good plan. This question seems like the question with the individual as to whether he can afford the college education. Our expense has increased very greatly as a result of the Technical High School, and the keeping of children in school who would not otherwise be there. Mr. Winslow also stated that he believed this work in the Vocation School was one of the very best educators of our system. He believed that the Board should go very carefully before cutting off the school appropriations."

Mr. Charles A. Brown said that he remembered a remark made to him by Mr. Jesse C. Ivy, when he first became a member of the Board of Aldermen. 'Now young man, don't try to economize. I have tried it. The people want the best of everything and are going to have it.' He believed the whole matter of the question of the increase in expense was due to the introduction of the Technical and Vocational High Schools.

Hon. Henry E. Bothfield said that when he was a member of the School Committee it was the policy of the Chairman to have frequent interviews with the chairman of the Finance Committee of the Board of Aldermen, which were of great assistance.

He stated that it was always the practice of the School Committee to get the best possible with the amount of money appropriated. He corrected Mr. Blakemore's statement that if a

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saving had been made in the number of pupils transferred from the Classical to the Technical High School and the doing away with the ninth grade, that a corresponding saving should have been made in dollars and cents, by stating that even though there were less pupils in the Classical High School it merely meant taking a few pupils out of each class and that it was impossible to dispense with the services of the teachers. He stated that the reason for the low number of pupils per class was due to the fact that in the outlying sections of the City, where the population is not so large, the classes were very much smaller than the average. He stated that an attempt has been made to send scholars from one section of the City to another for instruction in order to make a saving in the expense for teachers, but that it had met with a storm of protest from parents.

#### STABLE BURNED

The stable on the premises on Hovey street, Newton, occupied by Mr. George A. Graves, was badly burned late Wednesday night, when a fire started in the harness room from a stove. George Morrill, the care taker who sleeps in the building, discovered the fire, and after giving the alarm gave immediate attention to rescuing three valuable horses and a cow which were in the building. In this work he was assisted by some of the young men who had been attending the swimming meet at the Y. M. C. A. and who were attracted by the blaze. The boys took the horses as Morrill brought them to the door and while holding them in the driveway, they broke away and ran to Watertown square before they were caught.

One carriage was taken out badly burned, but several others, some sleighs, valuable harness and a large quantity of hay were destroyed. The house is only a few yards from the stable and the firemen had a desperate struggle to prevent a continuous shower of sparks from spreading the flames. The loss is about \$3,500.

#### Y. M. C. A.

The Brookline Gymnasium Athletic Association's swimming team gave an exhibition of fancy swimming Wednesday night before a large crowd. The team included Leo Handy, interscholastic swimming champion of the East and holder of three New England championships; Edward Duffy, another well-known New England record holder; Wales and Pugsley, plungers; Prendergast, McKinnon, Arthur, Browning, Wood, Eklund, Keith and Stuart McCullough, the latter director of the Brookline Gymnasium.

**COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS.**  
Middlesex, ss. PROBATE COURT.

To the devisees, legatees, and all other persons interested in the estate of Harriet M. Frisbie late of Newton in said County, deceased: WHEREAS a petition has been presented to said Court to grant a letter of administration on the estate of said deceased not already administered, to Robert D. Holt of Newton in the County of Middlesex, without giving a surety on his official bond or to some other suitable person. You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court to be held at Cambridge, in said County of Middlesex, on the tenth day of March A. D. 1914, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be granted.

And said petitioner is hereby directed to give public notice thereof, by publishing this citation once in each week, for three successive weeks, in the Newton Graphic a newspaper published in Newton, at least before said Court, and by mailing post-paid, a copy of this citation to all known persons interested in the estate seven days at least before said Court.

Witness, CHARLES J. MCINTIRE, Esquire, First Judge of said Court, this sixteenth day of February in the year one thousand nine hundred and fourteen.

W. E. ROGERS, Register.

**COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS.**  
Middlesex, ss. PROBATE COURT.

To the heirs-at-law, next of kin, creditors, and all other persons interested in the estate of William H. Bates late of Newton in said County, deceased, intestate: WHEREAS a petition has been presented to said Court to grant a letter of administration on the estate of said deceased to George F. Wales of Newton in the County of Middlesex, without giving a surety on his official bond or to some other suitable person. You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court to be held at Cambridge, in said County of Middlesex, on the ninth day of March A. D. 1914, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be granted.

And the petitioner is hereby directed to give public notice thereof, by publishing this citation once in each week, for three successive weeks, in the Newton Graphic a newspaper published in Newton, at least before said Court, and by mailing post-paid, a copy of this citation to all known persons interested in the estate seven days at least before said Court.

Witness, CHARLES J. MCINTIRE, Esquire, First Judge of said Court, this sixteenth day of February in the year one thousand nine hundred and fourteen.

W. E. ROGERS, Register.

**NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN** that the subscriber has been duly appointed executor of the will of Jesse F. Frisbie, late of Newton in the County of Middlesex, deceased, testate, and has taken upon himself that trust by giving bond, as the law directs. All persons having demands upon the estate of said deceased are hereby required to exhibit the same; and all persons indebted to said estate are called upon to make payment to

GEORGE C. LEE, Executor.  
Address, 44 State St., Boston, Mass.  
February 18, 1914.

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To the heirs-at-law, next of kin, creditors, and all other persons interested in the estate of William G. Bates late of Newton in said County, deceased, intestate:

WHEREAS a petition has been presented to said Court to grant a letter of administration on the estate of said deceased to Charles W. Levi of Newton in the County of Middlesex, without giving a surety on his bond.

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court to be held at Cambridge, in said County of Middlesex, on the second day of March A. D. 1914, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be granted.

And the petitioner is hereby directed to give public notice thereof, by publishing this citation once in each week, for three successive weeks, in the Newton Graphic a newspaper published in Newton, at least before said Court, and by mailing post-paid, a copy of this citation to all known persons interested in the estate seven days at least before said Court.

Witness, CHARLES J. MCINTIRE, Esquire, First Judge of said Court, this sixteenth day of February in the year one thousand nine hundred and fourteen.

W. E. ROGERS, Register.

**COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS.**  
Middlesex, ss. PROBATE COURT.

To all persons interested in the estate of Thomas White late of Newton in said County, deceased: WHEREAS, Charles C. Barton and Kathleen M. Thibbs, the executors of the will of said deceased, have presented for allowance, the first account of their administration upon the estate of said deceased, to wit: You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court to be held at Cambridge in said County, on the ninth day of March A. D. 1914, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be allowed.

And said executors are ordered to serve this citation by delivering a copy thereof to all persons interested in the estate fourteen days at least before said Court, or by publishing the same once in each week, for three successive weeks, in the Newton Graphic a newspaper published in Newton, at least before said Court, and by mailing post-paid, a copy of this citation to all known persons interested in the estate seven days at least before said Court.

Witness, CHARLES J. MCINTIRE, Esquire, First Judge of said Court, this sixteenth day of February, in the year one thousand nine hundred and fourteen.

W. E. ROGERS, Register.

#### Mortgagee's Sale of Real Estate

By virtue of the power of sale contained in a certain mortgage deed given by Arthur Schulte to Fred F. Blanchard, and is Trustee of the Mortgage Investment and Savings Trust under a Declaration of Trust dated April 1, 1911 and recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 3531, Page 218, and recorded with Middlesex South District (Commonwealth of Massachusetts) Registry of Deeds, Book 107, Page 97, for breach of the condition of said mortgage, and for the purpose of foreclosing the same, will be sold at public auction upon the premises hereinafter described, on Monday, March 16, 1914 at 3 o'clock in the afternoon, all and singular the premises conveyed by said mortgage deed and therein substantially described as follows:—

"A certain parcel of land with the buildings thereon situated in said County of Middlesex, and shown as parcels marked Part A and Part B, respectively, on a plan of 'Chester Hill Trust Land in Newton, (Waban Hill District)' by O'Neill and Rew, Surveyors, recorded with Middlesex South District Deeds, Book of Plans 22, Plan 22, bounded:—

—easterly and southeasterly on a curved line on Waban Hill Terrace, as shown on said plan (now known as Waban Hill Road) by three courses, twenty-six and 25.100 feet, 25.100 feet and forty-one and 21.100 feet. Southerly on Lot 42 on said plan one hundred and thirty-four and 38.100 feet; Southerly on parcel marked C on said plan fifty-eight and 88.100 feet; Northerly on Lot 40 on said plan one hundred and eighty and 90.100 feet. Excepting, however, so much from the above described premises, as was taken by the City of Newton for the purpose of widening that part of said Waban Hill Road formerly Waban Hill Terrace; containing according to said plan 20.000 square feet of land. Being the same premises conveyed to me by deeds to be recorded herewith."

Said Premises will be sold subject to a first mortgage to the Newton Graphic Trust Company, Inc., Lot A, written in the principal sum of \$11,000, and to a first mortgage to the Mortgage Investment and Savings Trust, Mortgages, principal sum of \$11,000, both duly recorded with said deeds, also to all unpaid taxes, titles, municipal liens and assessments if any.

One thousand dollars will be required to be paid in cash at the time and place of sale, but once in 10 days from the date of sale on the delivery of deed.

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Miss Grace M. Burt, Editor.

The Civil Service Reform department of the State Federation has sent out an appeal to the clubs to help defeat the bills now before the legislature relative to giving Spanish War veterans preference in civil service positions. It states that this is the most critical year in the history of legislation in this matter. "Unless the club women do their utmost to defeat all such bills, it is a foregone conclusion that Massachusetts will have established a system of class legislation. Last year these bills would have passed but for the veto of Governor Ross." It quoted Dr. Charles W. Eliot as saying:

"All places in the civil service of Massachusetts should be filled for merit alone, and that merit should have close relation to the work the candidates are expected to do."

### President's Conference

By the courtesy of the Watertown Woman's Club the Presidents' Conference of the State Federation will be held in Watertown in the First Parish Church on Thursday, March 5, at 10.30. The topics for discussion will be, "Club Problems. What is the special problem in your club?" and "The Relation of the Club to the Community. How is your club meeting the needs of your community?" There will be a box luncheon, tea and coffee being served at a nominal price. The president, one member of the executive board and one member of the club at large are invited to attend.

### Local Announcements

The Shakespeare Club of Newton Highlands meets on Saturday afternoon of this week with Mrs. Ramseyer of Erie avenue.

On Monday afternoon the Newton Mother's Club will meet with Mrs. Edward R. Speare of Montvale road, Newton Centre. Mrs. Francis Newhall will read a paper on "The Religious Training of Children."

Herbert W. Gleason will give an illustrated lecture on "Luther Burbank and his Wonderful Plant Productions" before the Brighthelmstone Club on March 2.

A musicale under the direction of Mrs. G. R. Pulsifer is the announcement of the Newtonville Woman's Guild for next Tuesday, March 3.

The Monday Club will hold its next meeting on Mar. 2 with Mrs. Herbert J. Roberts of Orchard avenue, Waban.

The Social Science Club holds its monthly business meeting at the Hunnewell Club on Wednesday morning.

On Thursday morning the monthly current events lecture of the Newton Centre Woman's Club will be given by Edward H. Chandler.

### Local Happenings

The members of the Newton Highlands Shakespeare Club held an interesting and profitable meeting on Saturday afternoon at the home of Miss Alberta Crombie, when the third act of "The Tempest" was read and discussed. Miss Hall was in charge of the quiz.

At the guest night of the Waban Woman's Club on Feb. 23, after Mrs. George M. Angier, the president, had welcomed the gentlemen, and violin selections had been charmingly rendered by Mrs. T. H. Piser and Miss Grace Miller accompanied by Miss Marion Miller, Dr. Edward A. Steiner held the close attention of all while lecturing on "Immigration." Once an immigrant himself and having crossed many times in the steerage for the sake of investigation Dr. Steiner thoroughly appreciates the point of view of the immigrant. After discussing why they come, he said they are an economic asset, 95 per cent are between the ages of fourteen and forty and so ready for any work and really take places over, own men cannot fill. Although from ninety to one hundred millions of dollars are taken back annually, yet we enjoy the wealth which they help us create. Our problem is the assimilation of these people, the moulding of their characters so as to extend a good influence over the whole world, the human side is the keynote to the situation.

On Tuesday morning the home economics class of the Newtonville Woman's Guild had a most interesting session. Miss Peck of the Newton Vocational School spoke upon food values and illustrated her talk by means of a chart, after which Mrs. E. E. Wakefield, Jr., gave a paper on "Relative Values in Home Life."

The Newton Highlands Monday Club met on February 24 with Mrs. H. M. Chase. The first part of the afternoon was in charge of Mrs. H. B. Hopkins, who presented a symposium on Washington's early life. Mrs. D. W. Eagles spoke of Washington's mother. Patriotic songs were sung by a trio of boys with Miss Salmon as accompanist. Mrs. Fewkes spoke of the flags of our country, Mrs. Ogden of Washington, the General, Mrs. Keeler of Washington at Valley Forge, Mrs. Salmon of Washington, the Man, Mrs. Miller spoke of the early patriotic music and the first national hymn, "Hail, Columbia." The meeting closed with the singing of "Columbia, the Gem of the Ocean." Patriotic emblems were worn

by those present and flags adorned the house.

The Auburndale Review Club held a musicale on Tuesday evening, the occasion being the annual guest night. Over one hundred members and their friends gathered in the Congregational chapel to hear Mrs. Irving O. Palmer, give an address on "The Sea Islanders illustrated by Old Negro Songs." The audience was most appreciative. Mrs. W. A. Knowlton, president of the club, Mrs. Amos R. Wells, vice-president, Mrs. J. N. Draper, secretary, and Mrs. Palmer received the guest at an informal reception which followed. Refreshments were served by the daughters and sons of the club members, Mrs. Peloubet and Mrs. Edward Almy presiding at the tables. A most social evening was enjoyed. The affair was under the direction of the executive committee, Mrs. Fuller, the treasurer, acting as chairman.

The meeting of the Newton Highlands C. L. S. C. announced for Monday was postponed until Thursday afternoon, on account of the holiday.

On Wednesday morning the members and guests of the Social Science Club enjoyed a special treat when Mrs. James J. Storow spoke upon "The Renaissance of Dancing." Mrs. Storow began by saying that when we meet people who speak incorrectly and show other signs of lack of cultivation we do not wish to have anything to do with them, but we do not have the same feeling toward those who speak with a nasal voice and stand badly or walk awkwardly thinking that is something which cannot be helped. This comes from our having no standards of beauty. We use every effort to develop the mind of our children, but we let them grow physically as they happen. Our early ancestors dug in the ground for their food, they picked it from trees and secured it in other ways, getting good all round exercise. We do not do this today, so something which takes its place is needed. The folk dances, she claims, in large measure give this all round exercise and lend grace to the body. "Awkwardness," she said, "is inefficiency, grace the utmost economy of power." She quoted Dr. Goldthwaite as saying that some forms of paralysis, rheumatism, sciatica, etc., are caused by bad posture. The artists and the doctors should set us the example, but unfortunately we often find their children poorly developed. It is too late for some of us to become Apollos and Venuses, but it is never too late to improve.

At the close of her formal talk Mrs. Storow spoke briefly of the Women's City Club and urged the Newton ladies to avail themselves of the privileges which it is going to offer of bringing women of all occupations, creeds, and social position together to become acquainted. In the nine months since organization already 1600 women have joined.

Mrs. Storow was accompanied by two young women who joined with her in giving examples of Russian, English, Irish and Swedish folk dances. At the close she was asked to illustrate some of the new dances and to express her opinion concerning them. She stated that the vulgarities comes for the most part from bad posture. The tango as she danced it was exceedingly graceful and there could be no objection to it, under such treatment. She said that the great trouble has been that it has not until recently been taught and the young people have copied it as they have seen it performed on the stage. To her objection is all in the way it is danced. If a girl wears a skirt which gives her no freedom about her ankles it is necessary for her partner to support her.

The Newton Centre Woman's Club entertained representatives from many of the neighboring clubs, the presidents from forty having been invited for its meeting on Thursday afternoon. Mrs. Christabel Kidder read Ibsen's "Doll House."

### Newton Federation

At the meeting of the Newton Federation held at Channing Church parlors on Wednesday afternoon Mrs. J. W. McIntyre was in the chair. Mrs. L. S. Drake, president of the Social Science Club, greeted the guests as the hostess of the occasion. After a few announcements, Mrs. Lyman Gore, accompanied by Mrs. Lowell McNeill, rendered charmingly a group of songs. The speaker of the afternoon, Mrs. Agnes Mahan, a lawyer of Boston and a representative of the Business Women's League, spoke of "The Civic Woman's Duty to the Women in Business." She referred to the tremendous power which the federated club has and the many ways in which it can be used. She thought they do not wholly realize what power they possess. The working women are too busy getting their living to take any active part in community work, so it is the women of leisure who must do these things.

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which is sooner or later returned. In regard to the factory worker Mrs. Mahan pointed out how closely the State has supervised its women and explained some of the existing laws. The talk was supplemented by a few questions, after which the meeting adjourned for a social hour when refreshments were served by a social committee under the direction of Mrs. F. E. Anderson, chairman. Mrs. Louis S. Drake and Mrs. George W. St. Amant presided over the frappe table and Mrs. W. A. Beedle over the tea.

In view of the fact that there have appeared in the city papers during the past week certain statements regarding the West Newton Women's Educational Club the officers of the club desire to have it known that on October 31, 1913, the club held a special meeting for the consideration of the club house project and it was voted then to abandon the idea, there being but one dissenting vote. Regard being raised all money donated to the club are still held by the club. There has been no diminution of this fund and no attempt by the club to use it. In other words the club has taken no action at all in regard to the use of this money.

The Newton Highlands C. L. S. C. meets with Mrs. Boyd of Allerton road next Monday afternoon.

The next regular meeting of the Ladies Home Circle will be held in G. A. R. hall Newtonville, Thursday, March 5th, at 2 P. M. Tea will be served. A full attendance is desired. For the Home Circle Mrs. John Bean of 230 Melrose street, Auburndale, will open her house for an Inauguration Whist on March 4th at 2.30 P. M. A royal good time may be expected. Members and friends cordially invited.

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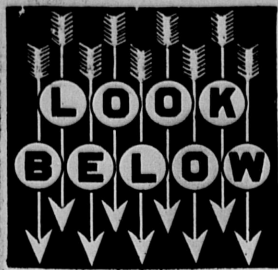
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—Mrs. Grosvenor Parker of Providence was a recent guest of friends in town.

—Mr. H. C. Binney of Tremont street has returned from a business trip to New York.

—Miss Blanch Davis of Philadelphia is a guest of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur J. Wellington of Church street.

—Mr. and Mrs. George H. Butler of Washington street have removed into the house at 285 Tremont street.

—Mr. William Macpherson, physical instructor at the Y. M. C. A., has taken house at 50 Pembroke street and will occupy it about the first of April.

—Subscribers of the Graphic are receiving a couple of fine pencils when subscription bills are paid. Have you received yours?

—Rev. Fr. Lyons, S.J., president of Boston College, will deliver the Lenten sermons, Wednesday evenings at 4:45 at the Church of Our Lady.

—Mr. Chas. G. Newcomb, with Chesley Boy, established a new record at the Charles River Speedway on Wednesday making the quarter mile in 31 seconds.

—The communion service at Channing Church will be held at four o'clock on Sunday afternoon and will be followed by the annual meeting of the Channing Church.

—Mrs. Henry L. Davis of Philadelphia announced the engagement of her daughter, Miss Blanch Davis, to Mr. Henry Hill Wellington of Church street. Miss Dorothy Wellington was a guest at the engagement luncheon in Philadelphia last Saturday.

—At a benefit given Tuesday evening at the residence of Mrs. R. E. Easter at Winston, Salem, N. C., Mrs. William Reid (Rillie) Garrison presented the inimitable comedy and fairy tale, Shakespeare's "Midsummer Night's Dream," to a large and enthusiastic audience.

—Rev. Lee S. McCollister, D. D., dean of Tufts College Divinity School, will address the members of the Channing Branch of the Woman's Alliance at the meeting Tuesday afternoon in the church parlors. His subject will be "The Contribution of the Liberal Church to the World Faith."

—Mrs. Wm. H. Lohrop, formerly Miss Alice Higgins, secretary of the associated Charities of Boston, is to speak at the meeting of the Immanuel Women's Association, at the Baptist church, on Wednesday, March 4th, at three o'clock. The women of the other churches have been invited to attend.

—Mrs. Abbie Lord Darling, the widow of the late Elijah S. Darling, former warden at the Charlestown state prison, died last Saturday at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Edward A. Phippen on Pembroke street, at the age of 88 years. Funeral services were held on Tuesday afternoon, Rev. Mr. Marion of Cambridge officiating, and the interment was at Methuen, Mass.

—At the meeting of the Eight O'clock Club on Wednesday evening at the residence of Mr. H. I. Harriman on Tunnewell avenue, the host gave an interesting illustrated talk on recent development in generating electricity by water power. The company in which Mr. Harriman is interested now generate electricity 160 miles and when fully developed will produce power equal to the consumption of 400,000 tons of coal a year.

—Mr. William T. Chapman died yesterday at the home of his sister, Mrs. Sarah G. Corbett, at 327 Washington street, as the result of injuries received last November in New York.

—Mr. Chapman, who had just landed from a steamer from Glasgow, was assaulted as he walked up the pier and was for many weeks at Bellevue hospital in that city. He came to Newton on Tuesday hoping to recover his health at his sister's home. He was 28 years of age and is survived by a widow and two small children.

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—Mr. Hamilton of Boston has moved into the house at 504 Auburn street.

—Mrs. George St. Amant has returned from a trip to New York and the South.

—Mr. James Thrasher and family of Newton Highlands have moved into the Miller block.

—The students at Lasell Seminary enjoyed a sleigh ride last evening to the Wellesley Inn.

—Miss Elizabeth Wells of Wellesley College has been visiting at her home on Williston road.

—Mr. William H. Chandler of this village has been elected to the Phi Beta Kappa at Yale.

—Much sympathy is extended Mrs. G. W. McNair in the recent death of her twin sister, Mrs. Frank Slater of Brookline.

—About 30 members of the Christian Endeavor Society of the Congregational Church enjoyed a fine sleigh-ride on Thursday evening.

—Members of the Searchlight Club of the Congregational Church held a meeting Tuesday evening at the residence of Miss Annie Dennett.

—The choir boys of the Church of the Messiah enjoyed a sleigh ride Tuesday evening, followed by a supper and dance in the parish hall.

—Mrs. Charles F. Cowdrey of Owatonna street is entertaining Miss Maud Elizabeth Pugh of Tolonville, Staten Island, and Miss Maria Dodge of Lynn.

—Mr. Harold W. Cole of Auburn street was among the guests at a banquet given by the Retail Lumber Dealer's Association, on Saturday afternoon at the American House.

—Among the freshmen at Dartmouth College who have received invitations to join the fraternities are Kingsbury Brown, from the Alpha Delta Phi, and W. C. Eaton from the Theta Delta Chi.

—On the evening of Feb. 21 the Junior Auxiliary of the Church of the Messiah presented scenes from Mid-Summer-Night's Dream in the Parish Hall. The affair was most successful, both financially and otherwise, and much credit is due Miss Lacey Turner, who had charge and trained the children.

—On next Tuesday, March 3, there will be a meeting at the home of Mrs. Arthur T. Farley on Central street, at 3 o'clock in behalf of the work of the Florence Crittenden Home. Mrs. Ellinwood, who has charge of the Home, will give an address. It is hoped that a large number will be present to know of the work and to show their interest in it.

—Special Lenten services were held this week at the Church of the Messiah with Penitential Office and Holy Communion at 10 o'clock on Ash Wednesday morning and sermon at 7:45 P. M. There will be a service of Holy Communion Sunday morning, at 10:30.

—Rev. E. B. Dean, rector of St. Andrew's Church, Wellesley, will preach at the afternoon service at 4:30.

—A meeting of the Ladies Benevolent Society was held Wednesday afternoon in the chapel at the Congregational Church. The Auxiliary Meeting at 3 o'clock was in charge of Mrs. Davidson, and Mrs. U. W. Hanckmeyer, formerly a missionary in the Northwest and South, related her missionary experiences. The meeting closed with a social hour.

—The Auburndale Fraternal Benefit Association held its annual meeting Tuesday evening in McVicar Hall. Mr. George H. Bourne was elected president, Mr. Willis F. Hadlock, secretary and treasurer. The board of directors includes George H. Bourne, Willis F. Hadlock, D. J. O'Donnell, P. A. McVicar, Thomas Gleason, Charles F. Cowdrey and Walter P. Thorn.

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## K. T. BALL

Gethsemane Commandery Successfully Entertains Its Friends

The second entertainment in the series given this winter by Gethsemane Commandery, Knights Templar, was held Monday evening in Temple hall, Newtonville, with a grand ball, attended by over three hundred Sir Knights and their ladies.

Mr. Albert L. Walker gave an organ recital in the asylum, followed by the grand march where each lady received a handsome souvenir, dancing and whist. Charles W. Henderson, Jr., was floor director and his aids were A. E. Billings, John E. Cobb, George L. Steeper, George H. Dale, Horton S. Allen and George A. B. Bacon.

There were nine tables of whist, under the direction of Sir Knight D. Frank Lord, the handsome souvenirs being awarded to Mrs. J. O. Perkins and Mr. Howard M. Fletcher.

The committee duties were in charge of the following Sir Knights, Executive, Emilius Condonal Charles J. Shepard, acting generalissimo, A. H. Decatur, acting captain, Charles W. Henderson, Jr., grand lecturer Asa C. Jewett, A. Sidney Bryant, D. Frank Lord, past commander Wm. E. Peterson and Horace A. Carver, A. C. Jewett, H. B. Nickerson and Albert L. Walker; whist, D. Frank Lord, A. E. Billings, and William H. Bliss; reception, past commanders Lewis E. Binney, William F. Jarvis, Edmund G. Pond, Albert L. Harwood and William E. Peterson, with A. C. Daniels and W. S. Higgins.

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—Miss Samson has returned from a visit at Titicut, Mass.

—Mrs. E. E. Hills of Lake avenue is visiting in New York.

—Mrs. W. B. Godsoe of Erie avenue is at Portland, Me., this week.

—Their friends in the death last Monday of their infant son, Robert.

—Mr. and Mrs. William J. Hodges of Lake avenue have the sympathy of Mr. and Mrs. H. M. Chase of Lake-wood road left this week for Florida.

—Mr. R. Sanderson of Floral street who has been ill at the hospital is recovering.

—Mrs. Myra W. Cudworth of Boylston street is visiting friends in Binghamton, N. Y.

—Miss Edith Rust who has been quite ill at the Newton Hospital is now improving.

—Crystal Lake Council, Royal Arcanum, held a dance in Lincoln hall on Monday evening.

—Mr. H. W. Schoenfeld of Clark street has returned home from a business trip in the West.

—Mr. Thos. A. Riley of Beethoven avenue who has been ill several weeks is improving in health.

—Rev. H. M. Saville of Waltham will preach at St. Paul's Church Sunday evening, March 1st, at 7:30.

—Miss Mabel Sedgwick of Floral street who has been spending a few days at her home here has returned to Hyde Park.

—Mayor Childs will speak at the meeting tonight of the Newton Highlands Improvement Association in Hyde School Hall.

—On Sunday afternoon, March 1st, a concert will be given at the Unitarian Church, Newton Centre, by the Highland Glee Club, under the direction of Mr. E. J. Smith of Hyde street.

—A public hearing will be given by the Board of Aldermen at City Hall West Newton on Monday evening, March 2, relative to the B. & A. Railroad bridge over Boylston street, near the Eliot station which the company proposes to replace, and as to the question of increasing the span of the bridge.

—An enjoyable concert was given last evening in Lincoln Hall by the Philathea Society of the Olive M. E. Church. The artists were Miriam F. Bates, soprano; Elizabeth May Davis, reader; Emily Hall Mercer, violin; Walter L. Boyd, tenor, and Ethel Wentworth, Mrs. Mercer and Helene Perley, accompanists.

—At the Lenten services at the Congregational Church visiting clergymen will speak of Fundamental Christian Doctrine. The general topic is "What we believe." The speaker next Sunday evening at 7:45 will be Rev. Ambrose White Vernon of Harvard Church, Brookline, subject, "The Person of Jesus."

—The Men's League of the Congregational Church will hold a ladies' night next Thursday. Mr. E. W. Newton will give a Plain Talk on Music, assisted by Florence Madeline Kidder, soprano; Helen Sewall Leavitt, pianist; Albert Edmund Brown, baritone, and Mrs. Albert Edmund Brown, Miss Leavitt, accompanist.

—Almost Right. A review on the subject of "The Indian" was in progress. "Now, children," beamed the teacher, "who can remember what the Indian woman is called?" There was an interval of profound silence; then an eager voice piped up: "I know, teacher; squab."

—Effects of Memorials. The country needs memorials of its public men and the great events of its history for the sake of their educational effect. But these memorials must have the quality of the great buildings of Athens, of which Thucydides said that the sight of them was daily delight.

—Steadfastness Key to Success. Many a man fails in life not because he lacks ability or enthusiasm, or a general desire to get on in the world, but because he lacks steadfastness of purpose.

—Meanest Man. There are some men mean enough to live on their father-in-law and then complain of the visits of their mother-in-law.

## Upper Falls

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—Mr. George Crossly of Elliot street is ill at his home.

—Mr. John Glendyn is seriously ill at his home on Elliot street.

—Mr. Daniel Buckley of River avenue is seriously ill at his home.

—Mr. Roy Springer of Chestnut street was called to Bangor, Me., this week to attend the funeral of his sister.

—Miss Beulah Coward of High street is attending school at Dana Hall, Wellesley.

—Thursday evening the Ladies' Aid Society held their monthly supper in the vestry of the Methodist Episcopal Church.

—Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Norton of New York City were guests over the week end of Mr. and Mrs. Coward of High street.

—Mayor Edwin O. Childs addressed the Christian Endeavor Society last Sunday evening on Rules for success in business.



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### "UNCLE RUBE"

A large audience greeted the per-  
formance given Monday afternoon and  
evening in the Stearns School Hall.  
Nonantum, under the auspices of  
the Stearns Senior Athletic Asso-  
ciation. The play, entitled "Uncle  
Rube," proved rich in humor, char-  
acter drawings and clever situations,  
and the youthful participants acquit-  
ted themselves well. The comedy of  
four acts, was staged under the direction  
of Lester Lane, the playground  
instructor. The cast comprised  
George Bradley, John McNamara, Wil-  
liam Dalton, John Mahan, Frank Gill-  
man, John Blakeney, Daniel Kerr,  
Myrtle Welden, May Fisher, Margaret  
Considine and James H. Crowdie.

### CONCERT

Next Tuesday evening, March 3rd,  
an unusual concert will be given at  
the Newton Club. The artists will be  
Mr. Karel Havlicek, violinist and Miss  
Virginia Underwood, soprano. They  
will be accompanied by the Pianola,  
as played by Mr. Earl William Smith.  
Mr. Havlicek is one of the best  
known violinists in the concert field  
today. At his recent appearance in  
the "Little Theatre" in New York, all  
of the critics there joined together in  
pronouncing him as one of the best  
violinists heard there in recital this  
year. And this was comparing him  
with Kreisler, Elman, Ysaye, and all  
of the other world famous soloists.

Mr. Havlicek was born in this coun-  
try, but went abroad when very young,  
giving up his whole life to the study  
of the violin. He returned to America  
a few years ago, since which time he  
has appeared only in concert work.

Miss Virginia Underwood is one of  
the newer sopranos in the concert  
field. Born in Canada, not very many  
years ago, she first appeared on the  
concert stage as a violinist, but find-  
ing that she had a voice, the cultiva-  
tion of which gave her more pleasure,  
she temporarily ceased work on the  
violin, in order to give all her time  
to the study of the voice. That she  
decided well is shown by the success  
she is achieving.

Mr. Earl William Smith, who presides  
at the Pianola (is termed everywhere as  
a "wonder." It does not seem possible  
that the Pianola can be made to be so  
human. But to watch Mr. Smith ac-  
companying the artists, to watch him  
hesitate with his instrument in order  
to enable the soloists to give their  
own musical, artistic interpretation to  
their renditions is a most pleasing  
sight. In short, he is a marvel.

On Tuesday evening the program  
will include for violin solos the great  
"Souvenir de Moscow" by Wieniawski,  
the "Souvenir Poetique" by Fubich  
and the Kreisler "Caprice Viennois."  
Miss Underwood will sing the "Ar-  
dit" "Se Seran Rose," a group of songs  
in English including Stevens "Night-  
ingale" and Needham's "Haymaking,"  
and the "Spring Song" by Weill, to  
which Mr. Havlicek will play a violin  
obligato.

The Pianola solo numbers will be  
"La Capricieuse, Op. 15" by Milde,  
Chopin's "Nocturn, Op. 15, No. 2,"  
"Rhapsodie Hongroise No. 3" by Liszt  
and the well known Putz "Valse Pe-  
tite."

### VESPER SERVICE

A vesper service will be given by  
the Highland Glee Club, Mr. Edgar  
Jacobs Smith, Director, next Sunday  
at 4 P. M., at the Newton Centre Uni-  
tarian Church. The Club will be as-  
sisted by Mr. Karl Rissland, Violinist  
(of Boston Symphony Orchestra);  
Miss Wilhelmina Wright Calvert, So-  
prano; Mr. John Hermann Loud, Or-  
ganist; Mr. Almon J. Fairbanks, Pi-  
anist, and the quartet choir of this  
church. The program includes: ?  
Prelude—"Meditation" for Violin,  
Harp and Organ. Samuel Rousseau  
"Te Deum" (Festival in E flat) for  
mixed quartet. Dudley Buck  
"Morning Hymn" (for male voices),  
Arnold Krug  
"Silent Recollections" (for male  
voices) Johannes Pache  
"Light from Heaven".....Gounod  
(For Soprano Solo—Organ—Harp  
—Violin).  
"Invictus" (for male voices),  
Bruno Huhn  
"Offertory"—"Andante religioso,"  
Francis Thome  
(For Violin and Organ).  
"Holy Night".....Franz Abt  
(For male voices—Soprano Solo—  
Organ and Harp Accompaniment).  
"In the Temple of Muse,"  
Hermon Mohr  
(For male voices—Soprano Solo—  
Organ and Harp Accompaniment).  
Organ Postlude—Paeaan—(Song of  
Triumph).....Matthews

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D. D., Old South Church, Boston.  
Mar. 15 "The Church" by Rev. J.  
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Mar. 29 "The Christian Life" by  
Rev. James A. Richards, Mount Ver-  
non Church, Boston.  
Apr. 5 "The Nature of God" by  
Rev. George T. Smart.

N. H. S.

The recently organized fencing club  
meets Wednesday afternoons at the  
N. H. S. Mr. L. K. Burnett of Cam-  
bridge, is the instructor.

### HARVARD MUSICAL CLUB'S CONCERT

One of the features of the social  
world this spring is to be a concert by  
the Harvard Musical Clubs at Players  
Hall, West Newton, on Tuesday even-  
ing, March 3rd. This event should be  
welcomed with great enthusiasm by  
all lovers of music, as Harvard is re-  
presented this year by one of the finest  
musical clubs in the history of the  
college.

To Newton falls the proud honor of  
having five members of the clubs, in-  
cluding the leader of the Glee Club—  
Mr. Albert F. Pickernell, Harvard's  
song-master. Mr. I. U. Townsend and  
Mr. F. H. Roope, as well as Mr. Pick-  
ernell, were erstwhile pupils of Mr.  
Sladen, the choir-master of the Grace  
Church.

The most entertaining points  
of the program is Mr. Osgood Perkins'  
sketch, "You Can't Play Every Instru-  
ment in the Orchestra," a novel take-  
off on Mr. Cawthorne of "The Sun-  
shine Girl" company. Mr. Perkins is  
a well-known impersonator, having  
made a reputation in the role of Harry  
Lauder.

The program will be followed by  
dancing.  
The Newton patronesses are: Mrs.  
E. C. Adams, Mrs. H. S. Allen, Mrs. D.  
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George L. West, Mrs. Joseph H. Well-  
man.

### GOOD ADVICE

There seems to be no call for any  
friction between the Street Depart-  
ment and the Street Railway Company  
regarding clearing off the snow thrown  
by the railway plows into the sides of  
the streets and producing dangerous  
conditions. Of course it is only fair  
to reason that the law never contem-  
plated permitting a street railway  
company to create a nuisance or a  
dangerous condition for the municipal-  
ity to abate. On the other hand, there  
are some conditions which the city  
or town is expected to care for and for  
which the franchise tax is collected.  
The Street Railway Company is par-  
ticularly the creature of the general  
public; its only asset of value is the  
good will of those who naturally  
would be its patrons. It is of the ut-  
most importance as a matter of suc-  
cess or failure that that public be kept  
good natured and that is not likely to  
be the case if there is a feeling that  
the Company's servants leave our  
streets in an impassible condition. It  
is well to remember too that in the  
very nature of things, the Company is  
continually coming before the City  
government seeking some concession.  
The Aldermen as a rule merely reflect  
public opinion and if that opinion is  
aroused against the corporation it  
makes hard sledding. It is well then  
for the Railway Company to strain a  
point, even if the Directors think they  
are well within their rights, and keep  
the public satisfied and in good humor.  
It pays.—Waltham Free Press Tribune.

### VICTORY AT LAST

In the onward march of ages,  
See the banners high unfurled;  
Floating upward where their colors,  
Can be seen by all the world.

Some proclaim the fight of nations,  
And their brave deeds told to all;  
Marking where the brave have  
perished,  
Known to those who saw them fall.

And their trumpets thus are lauded,  
O'er the land, from sea to sea,  
Reaching to the farthest limits  
Of the world, o'er mount and lea.

But are these the only vic'tries  
Written in the Book above,  
Where the records of one's life-work  
Are all kept, in truth and love?

No, O, no! Each lonely worker,  
Has a place in life's great plan,  
Though their deeds are unrecorded  
In the histories of man.

So take heart, all ye who labor,  
Often weary, sick, and lone,  
He who careth for the sparrows,  
Watches ever o'er His own.

And though long the time of waiting,  
Longer are the years of rest,  
Rest in serving, joy in service,  
Ne'er by mortal tongue expressed.  
S. Evelyn Thompson.

### AMATEUR DRAMATICS

(Continued from page 1)

a society "climber" with a strong  
sense of humor, was very captivat-  
ing not only with her acting, but also her  
fine clear soprano voice, which was  
heard to advantage in the opening  
number, solo and duet in song form,  
with Mr. Sladen and Mr. Owen Clark,  
quartet singing of "Luscious Lobster  
Salad," with Miss Sladen, Mr. Arthur  
J. Swornbourn and Mr. Sladen, and  
last but not least, a beautiful ballad,  
"The Song Bird and the Sunbeam,"  
which fairly delighted the audience.

Miss Marie Sladen was most charm-  
ing in the "ingenue" role of the little  
waitress, besieged by masculine at-  
tentions, much to the discomfort of  
"Uncle Caleb," and her acting was so  
natural and unassuming, that it won  
much favorable comment. Her sing-  
ing was delightful, but she was at her  
best in the second act when she sang  
"Ooly-Kooly-Kan" and "The Vigil,"  
the full range of her rich contralto  
voice being shown to great advantage.  
Miss Sladen was presented with a  
handsome bouquet.

Mr. Frank Leighton scored a tremen-  
dous "hit" with his clever acting,  
singing and specialty "stunts" in phys-  
ical culture. Those attending the  
performance Saturday evening were  
denied the pleasure of hearing Mr.  
Leighton, as he was unable, on ac-  
count of illness, to take part, but he  
more than made up for it Tuesday  
evening in the role of a glib jewelry-  
salesman and confident, he did a bit  
of character acting well worthy of a  
professional.

In his solo, "The Gay Militia-Man,"  
assisted by the chorus, he was so fas-  
cinating that the audience was prodig-  
al in its applause.

Mr. C. Watkins Simms, Jr. who  
passed under the euphonious title of  
"John Bunney Warren," bank-clerk-  
sage, was certainly sapient enough  
to please the most fastidious audience  
and his two solos, "I Was Going Up  
the Street," and "When I Am In Love,"  
were highly pleasing and received  
much merited applause.

Mr. Owen Clark contributed a sol-  
emn little melody "Treasures and  
Tears," which was very well received  
and which, for the time being, checked  
the flow of merriment rippling thru  
the hall.

Between the acts the audience was  
entertained by the choir quartet com-  
posed of Messrs. Roope, Townsend,  
Hanson and Cutler, who broke out in  
a ridiculously tuneful melody on "Mrs.  
Winslow's Soothing Syrup" which not  
only amused the audience, but was a  
splendid "ad" for that old time  
remedy.

The singing of the quartet is always  
"par excellence," and an audience  
usually requires no soothing remedy,  
patent, or otherwise, while listening  
to them.

Master Erving Plummer, the boy so-  
prano sang "I Hear You Calling Me,"  
in a wonderfully sweet voice and was  
obliged to respond to repeated encores.  
Miss Sladen sang a "catty"  
selection entitled "Romeo and Juliet,"  
which ended in such a plaintive and  
melodious cater-wauling that it fairly  
convulsed the audience and they were  
vociferously applauded.

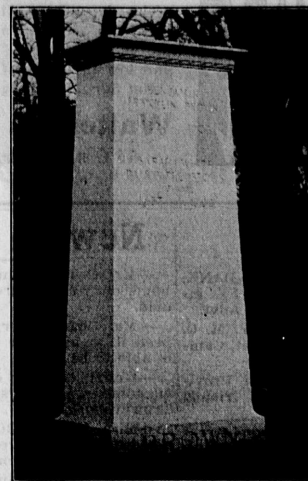
At the close of the performance  
Rev. Dr. MacLure, arose and suggested  
that the author, Mr. Clark, the con-  
ductor, Mr. Studley, the choir-master,  
Mr. Sladen, and the accompanist Mr.  
Hambleton, be given a share of the  
applause as they had played so im-  
portant a part in the success of the  
entertainment, and were entitled to  
some of the honors.

The young ladies serving as ushers  
included Miss Dorothy MacLure, Miss  
Madeline Converse and Miss Mildred  
Phippen.

At the close of the performance  
dancing was enjoyed.

### FRESH AIR IN SCHOOLS

Out of all the discussions by thou-  
sands of educators, sociologists, phy-  
sicians, concerning the curative and  
revivifying influences of fresh air,  
great results have followed. It is ar-  
gued that if outdoor schools and hos-  
pitals have accomplished such won-  
derful results for diseased children,  
why should not normal children in  
our public schools receive equal bene-  
fit? Children, especially those  
under twelve years of age, spend the  
majority of their waking hours in the  
school-room. Reason and common  
sense advise us that such buildings  
should be models of good sanitation.  
"The coming man and woman," said  
a school supervisor, "are the product  
of that workshop of the human being  
—the public school." Are we going  
to send out from our schools an an-  
emic, nervous, diseased, abnormal set  
of invalids through neglect of provid-  
ing healthful sanitary conditions? The  
citizen of the future is being molded  
in our public schools. It is here that  
he is expected to receive and store up  
dynamic forces which later will move  
to action whole communities. What  
kind of school buildings are necessary  
to generate such energy?—Suburban  
Life—The Countryside Magazine for  
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### NATIONAL PROHIBITION

Sunday evening at the Lincoln Park  
Baptist Church, West Newton, a meet-  
ing was held under the auspices of  
the Woman's Christian Temperance  
Union in the interests of National  
Constitutional Prohibition. Mrs. Kath-  
erine Lente Stevenson, State Presi-  
dent, spoke on the Joint Resolution  
which has been submitted in the House  
by Congressman Richmond Hobson  
and to the Senate by Senator Morris  
Sheppard, for the adoption of an  
amendment to the Constitution forever  
prohibiting the sale, manufacture for  
sale, transportation, exportation and  
importation for sale of intoxicating  
liquors for beverage purposes in the  
United States.

The arguments advanced will, we  
trust, be presented by her, in the other  
parts of the city. At the close of the  
address the audience was asked to ex-  
press themselves in regard to their  
position on national prohibition and  
all those who favored it and felt that  
the time had arrived for action were  
invited to stand.

The meeting was a union meeting of  
the Baptist and Congregational socie-  
ties and the expression in favor was  
practically unanimous. Music was  
furnished by a quartet composed of  
Miss Eva Sanderson, Miss Glover, Mr.  
Sydney Clark and Mr. Crowell. The  
solos and quartets were appropriate  
to the occasion and were much ap-  
preciated.

### REAL ESTATE

Edmonds & Byfield report the sign-  
ing of papers for the sale of a lot on  
Commonwealth avenue, corner of Irving  
street, Newton Centre, from the  
estate of Joseph B. Moors to the Vita-  
lity Laboratory of New England, Inc.,  
Earle L. Ovington, Treas.

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iat Company will open their store with  
the front part of it filled up with an  
accumulation of several months' pur-  
chases of private libraries, which  
they have had packed away in store-  
rooms waiting for an opportunity to  
display them and offer them for sale.  
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thousands of volumes of all sorts and  
include many good old editions of  
standard sets, besides a most interest-  
ing gathering of miscellaneous books,  
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days. For the convenience of visitors  
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them away, but pretty near it. INVESTIGATE.

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